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## The Unwanted

### Relax Rules Of Divorce, Tighten Up On Marriage

By PATRICK O'NEILL  
First of a Series

Divorce rules should be relaxed, but there should be tighter curbs on marriage, to solve problems posed by broken homes and disturbed children, says a Victoria welfare official.

"Should we allow families, which we know have a poor chance of lasting, to come into existence?" asks Gordon Wright, director of Family and Children's Service in Victoria. "There should be stronger legal controls on marriage."

Mr. Wright believes this would help prevent the breakdown of families which turns more and more homeless children over to the agency every year.

Pointing out there are a record 7,000 children in the care of agencies, foster homes and institutions in British Columbia, Mr. Wright suggests:

"The time has come to take a stand to stop marriages from taking place when there are good grounds for believing they will end in a break-up."

He said he made a similar "strawman suggestion" several years ago, and was attacked in the Vancouver press.

"But if I said the same thing in 1960, they would say you're too late, we did that last year."

But he urges more controls on remarriage of divorced persons.

"These people have something to prove."

"Anyone who has contributed to the wreck of one family, should be asked to show they are responsible, before they are allowed to start a new one."

Mr. Wright emphasized he is not asking for any kind of "test" for couples before they marry, but "social agencies should be able to stop a marriage they feel will end in disaster."

Asked about a new, harder line, being taken by some ministers who will refuse to marry couples if they think there are good grounds, he commented:

"This action will have very little effect as long as promiscuity is generally approved of by society."

Pointing to television, motion pictures and literary influences, he said "there is no real evidence that society disapproves of this increasing promiscuity."

Mr. Wright said he was not commenting on morals. "I'm not saying promiscuity as such is good or bad."

But he attacked the "casual, disinterested producing of children."

The director said if there is not a change in society's attitude toward this boom in unwanted babies, legalized abortion and mass contraception may lie in the future.

"Sure, this suggestion may sound radical. But it's one thing or the other."

He commented: "If we have to legalize abortions and provide contraceptives to unmarried people on a mass basis, I think it will be an indication that we have failed."

Mr. Wright said physical ability to produce children must be linked to the ability to care for those children.

## Bucks Win Everything

Portland Buckaroos won the Western Hockey League playoffs and the Lester Patrick Cup last night by defeating Victoria Maple Leafs, 3-0, at Memorial Arena.

Portland won the best-of-seven series, 4-1, after finishing the schedule in first place and eliminating Vancouver in the semi-final. Picture stories, on Page 12.



## Who's Afraid of Big Bad Hoods?

Young Negro boy in Durham, N.C., smiles tolerantly at hooded Ku Klux Klansmen as they stage "march" in downtown Durham Saturday, prior to mass night rally. — (AP)

## Day Before Murder-Suicide

### Police Sure Dead Constable Moved Perforated Money

VANCOUVER (CP) — Police believe Const. Leonard Hogue used a rented station wagon to move the bulk of the \$1,250,000 from the mutilated money robbery just before he killed his wife and six children and committed suicide.

Police Chief Ralph Booth said Saturday officials of a car rental company have identified Hogue as the man who rented a station wagon about 5:30 p.m. Monday.

It was found abandoned on a gas station lot the next day. "The station wagon had travelled 113 miles, and there was evidence it was used to move something," said the police chief.

He appealed to residents of Greater Vancouver for help in tracing the blue 1965 Meteor Montclair station wagon's movements, and said recovery of the lot is the crux of the investigation.

"The money is no good to anybody. It amounts to about 700 pounds of paper."

**STILL IN BOXES**

Chief Booth said he believes the money is still on the Lower Mainland, and is still in the three fibreglass boxes in which the robbers carried it away Feb. 11 from the Vancouver warehouse of Canadian Pacific Merchandise Service Limited.

The money, being held for shipment to the Ottawa mint for destruction, was perforated with three half-inch holes across each bill.

A former Vancouver policeman, Joseph Percival, and James McDougall were arrested in Edmonton April 17.

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## Pakistanis Use Tanks

### Border Fight 'Near War'

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — India charged Saturday that a Pakistan army force of at least 3,000 men supported by tanks thrust almost seven miles into India's western territory near the Arabian Sea before being repulsed.

It was the second major Pakistani attack reported by India this month along the disputed frontier between India's Rann of Kutch, a largely uninhabited swampy area, and Pakistan's Sind State.

An official spokesman said "You are very near the truth if you call it war. It is very, very serious."

**INFANTRY ATTACK**

The Indian spokesman gave this account of the fighting:

Skirmishing began Friday and Pakistani guns opened up Saturday morning on Indian points known as Sardar Pota, Vigobot and Chahbet. A Pakistani infantry brigade attacked almost seven miles southward to "Point 84" near a north-south road between Diplo, Pakistan, and Khavda, India.

**POINT HELD**

A small Indian force held Point 84 and "according to reports so far received the attack has been repulsed."

Indian guns had replied to the shelling at the other three points.

The spokesman refused to discuss casualties but said three Pakistani tanks were destroyed.

**NEVER MARKED**

The frontier along the Rann of Kutch was never marked after the partition of British India into sovereign India and Pakistan in 1947.

The latest clash could pose a political crisis for India's Prime Minister Lal Bahadur Shastri who agreed to a Pakistani ceasefire offer after the earlier clash this month. His political opponents called the acceptance weak-kneed.

**UNDER FLOODS**

Under flood half the year, the Kutch area has assumed some importance for both sides with reports there might be oil under the barren expanse.

Nature may resolve the issue — at least temporarily — when the monsoon rains start in about six weeks.

## Castro Aide, Wife Defect to West

LONDON (CP) — One of Cuban premier Castro's top men, Cuban consul-general in London Julio Cesar del Castillo, is reported to have defected to the West along with his wife, a cousin of Cuban president Osvaldo Dorticos.

## U.S. Weighs Use

### A-Weapons If Needed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States is retaining the option of using small nuclear weapons in Communist North

Viet Nam if this becomes an eventual necessity—even though there is no prospect of their use under existing circumstances.

The U.S. government, it has been learned, is prepared to use whatever weapons are considered essential to achieve its objective of ending Communist aggression against South Viet Nam.

In this connection, it is understood also that:

● As the war stands, U.S. forces have far from exhausted the conventional, non-nuclear arms that can be brought to bear effectively.

● Basic U.S. strategy does not assume there are any sanctuaries for the Communist opponents: either a physical sanctuary inside China's borders or another kind of sanctuary in the assurance that the United States would forego use of nuclear weapons.

● The government approaches the idea of using nuclear weapons.

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## Two Bases Seized By Rebels

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic (AP) — Rebel troops seized two army installations outside of Santo Domingo Saturday in an attempt by followers of former President Juan B. Bosch to overthrow the ruling civilian junta.

Donald Reid Cabral, head of the junta, said the uprising had been crushed and loyal troops were ready to move on the camps by 5 a.m. today.

## Americans-Chinese

### Formosa Betting on War

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — Nationalist Chinese military and political leaders believe the Vietnamese conflict eventually will lead to war between the United States and Communist China.

In this case, they say Nationalist China will provide ground forces for the U.S.

The officials, who ask anonymity, say they base their opinion on the following assumptions:

● The United States has now realized that a negotiated peace in Viet Nam will only mean fresh Communist aggression against Thailand or Malaysia. This leaves the

United States no alternative but to expand the war until China steps in.

● The United States has complete air and naval superiority over any other country in the world but air strikes and naval bombardment alone can never occupy a city or area.

● American public opinion is strongly against sending American ground troops to Asia. The only logical thing for the United States to do is to use the manpower of Nationalist China which has an estimated 600,000 men in active service and another 600,000 in reserve.

A top military leader says: "A war between the United States and Red China is inevitable and we have been waiting for this for years. America's present involvement in the Vietnamese war provides us with hopes of returning to mainland China."

Most political leaders say they believe in case of a general war between Red China and America, the Soviet Union will not commit ground forces to help Red China.

Instead, they say, the Soviet Union will move into North China to create a subservient China which Russia has long dreamed of.

## Mt. Rainier

### No Sign Of Life At Wreck

SEATTLE (AP) — A four-engine transport plane carrying five men and military cargo was found wrecked Saturday on 14,410-foot Mt. Rainier with no sign of life evident from the air.

The crew of an air rescue plane from Portland spotted the downed DC-6 at the 10,000-foot level of Rainier's rugged western side. They said the right wing and fuselage appeared intact.

The DC-6, owned by Axico Airlines of Oakland, Calif., left here at 2:05 p.m. Friday on a flight to Hill Air Base in Utah with military cargo picked up from the Boeing Company. The plane was under contract to the air force.

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## Police Find Half of Loot

VANCOUVER (CP) — Police have recovered more than half of \$30,000 worth of jewelry stolen early Saturday in the Shaughnessy district.

A portion valued at \$17,000 was found hidden in a lane.

In the robbery at the home of Mrs. Catharine Pick, 82, thieves threw an antique table off a balcony in order to break open a drawer where the jewelry was kept.

## Cancer Forum Monday

### Do Doctors Still Smoke?

How many doctors smoke? Do all doctors agree smoking is a contributing factor in lung cancer?

Why is there less stomach cancer than there was a decade ago?

These are a sample of the many questions which will be put to a panel of doctors Monday night at the free public

cancer forum at Central Junior High School-auditorium.

The forum is sponsored by Victoria unit of the Canadian Cancer Society, The Daily Colonist and the Victoria Medical Society.

Officials expect a large audience to attend the forum in the 1,500-seat auditorium to hear the panel and see the

Hollywood film, The Million Club.

Doors open at 7:30, the film will be shown at 8 p.m. and the audience will be able to ask questions of the panel during discussions which will begin at 8:30.

The panel moderator is Dr. Arthur B. Nash, chairman of the medical attending staff at Victoria Cancer Clinic.

Dr. Nash, a gynecologist, says "our aim in treating cancer is to discover it before the patient's suspicions are aroused."

Mentioning the "seven danger points" of cancer which will be reviewed at the forum, Dr. Nash said that, when these

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## Council Business

Five Greater Victoria councils are holding regular meetings Monday or Tuesday.

Saanich council sits as a court of revision at 7:15 p.m. Monday to deal with local improvement petitions and at 7:25 p.m. will hold a special council meeting to introduce and read the 1965 budget bylaw and other minor bylaws.

Main item to be dealt with at Oak Bay council's 8 p.m. meeting Monday will be a motion by Coun. Harold Carter to hold a referendum on fluoridation.

Both Sidney and Esquimalt councils will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

Central Saanich's 1965 budget will be dealt with at a regular council meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

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## Punched Money Moved

and charged with possession of bank notes from the robbery.

Police seized \$12,000 in multi-currency.

At least four former police men and one member of the force are under suspicion in connection with the multi-currency case, and other robberies. Chief Booth Saturday refused to confirm reports that one member of the force has been suspended.

Earlier in the week, Chief Booth said a \$11,000 bank hold-up Jan. 15 seemed to be connected with the currency robbery, and police are also investigating the possibility that a \$106,000 robbery at a Burnaby bank on Christmas Eve, 1962, was the work of the same men.

Police said that in the January robbery, bandits were easily hunting bills when they suddenly hurried off.

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Nash



Hough



Lane



Lynch

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## Doctors to Answer Queries

B.C. Cancer Institute, Vancouver.

"Cancer now is cured in about 50 per cent of the cases. If we can raise this figure to 60 per cent, all the research into the disease will have been worthwhile."

Dr. Gibson also said research into cancer is not confined to a closed organization.

"There is a great need for independent research," he said, "just as there is need for organized work."

Dr. Gibson is a radiotherapist who has spoken to many groups of research and treatment of cancer.

Thorny questions on cancer of the lung and the effect of smoking and air pollution will be fielded by Dr. R. M. Lane, internist and director of Vancouver Island chest clinic.

"While I now see more people who have stopped smoking, the heavy smokers seem to be smoking more than ever."

He said there was a drop in tobacco sales in early 1964 when the public was barraged with reports linking smoking to lung cancer.

But according to figures released by tobacco companies, sales are rising sharply this year.

"And yet you will find almost no one who seriously doubts there is a connection between lung cancer and heavy smoking for a long period of time."

Other panel members are Dr. J. D. Hough, general surgeon, chief of staff at St. Joseph's Hospital, and Dr. M. J. Lynch, pathologist, chief pathologist at St. Joseph's Hospital.

## You've Gotta Vote Is Top Of Basuto Hit Parade

MASERU (AP)—No. 1 on the current Basutoland hit parade is a catchy little tune entitled You've Gotta Vote on the 29th.

For many of the remote tribal communities in this dust-bowl British protectorate in southern Africa it's the first time they have heard pop music from a tape recorder.

Basutoland is the last of Britain's three South African protectorates to elect an all-black government. Voting day is next Thursday, the 29th.

Within two years all three territories—Swaziland, Bechuanaland and Basutoland—are scheduled to become independent African states.

British officials assisting at the elections have reduced voting methods almost to a children's game.

To explain it they enlisted the help of British army Capt. David Longbottom, normally based in Aden.

With his taped voting song, a trusty mule and an interpreter, he rode hundreds of miles into remote, 10,000-foot mountain communities, explaining the voting procedure to people unable to read or write.

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## Police Still Hunt Mermaid's Head

COPENHAGEN (AP)—The head of the Little Mermaid statue was not caught and the file is still open in Copenhagen's police headquarters.

But the National Bronze Foundry ran up a new head from the original mould and five weeks after the decapitation the Little Mermaid was back intact on the harbor rocks, hailed by the world as "the darling of all the world."

Her new features were a shade yellower than the rest of the 35-year-old figure, but since then the weather and the seagulls have restored her to looking all of a piece again.

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## Ghost in a Black Shirt

Fascist Hatred Again Stalks Italy

ROME (AP)—Twenty years after Benito Mussolini was hanged by his heels in final ignominy, the seeds of wrath he sowed still blossom darkly in the hearts of Italy's restless minority.

A Fascist party called the Italian Social Movement has inherited the cause of anger and violence which Il Duce left as legacy when partisans killed him April 28, 1945.

As of today it is a party with no hope and no political future. It has no man on horseback to rally the discontents and ultra-nationalists as Mussolini did in 1919 after the First World War.

It has no real political program. It nurses its hatreds only on the bitter belief that it is Italy's last-ditch defence against communism.

Its street-brawling youth members, mostly sons of die-hard old Blackshirts, were not old enough to hear the bold lies and brazen boasts of Mussolini.



Mussolini

But, the party today casts 1,500,000 ballots, three times as many as it did 17 years ago, and almost up to the greatest strength it ever had since the war.

The old black shirts are worn threadbare now. But, violent new striking forces are emerging, dynamiting by night, hitting with equal hatred against Communist headquarters or those of the Christian Democrats.

The Fascist party's 27 deputies and 15 senators have traded insults and blows with the Communists in the legislature. Riot police have fought with clubs to break up street battles between demonstrators of the two parties.

Although Italian law prohibits "apology for fascism" there is no law against a new Fascist party and at Rome's forum of public buildings and stadiums which Mussolini built there still is a tall obelisk bearing the name Mussolini in huge perpendicular letters.

## Montreal Demonstration

### Radio Station Windows Broken by Separatists

MONTREAL (UPI) — About 100 Quebec separatists smashed windows of radio station CIMS in Montreal Saturday afternoon following a demonstration in front of Montreal's city hall.

At city hall the assembled separatists were in sympathy with the suicide of separatist Gilles Legault who hanged himself in Bordeaux Jail last Sunday night. Legault was in custody awaiting trial on alleged charges of being involved in the abortive attempt to dynamite American national shrines.

The group went wild Saturday after police removed them forcibly from the steps of city hall. Several were arrested when they resisted the police.

**WINDOWS SMASHED**  
From city hall they paraded almost directly to the building of the radio station, where they began to hurl objects at the building, smashing windows.

A staff member of the French-speaking station said the separatists were demonstrating against a Claude Bruchesi who conducts a program Open Mind, in which he opposes separatism.

**TOO MUCH ENGLISH**  
In addition, the representative added, the demonstrators were opposed to the program being aired at the time, The American Hit Parade.

The program apparently has a maximum content of English dialogue as well as lyrics being sung in English.

In addition the mob threatened to overturn the news cruiser of Montreal-Martin's editorial cartoonist Jacques Payac.

## Makarios Dismantling Greek-Cypriot Forts

NICOSIA (AP) — The Greek-Cypriot government announced Saturday it has started dismantling its fortified positions along the borderline dividing the Greek- and Turkish-Cypriot sectors of Larnaca in south Cyprus.

A spokesman for President Makarios said similar fortifications in Paphos in the northwest and Limassol in the south already have been dismantled.

Makarios had announced that all Greek-Cypriot armed posts, fortifications and police checkpoints in three of the island's six districts will be removed as a step toward pacification and normalization of life in Cyprus.

The Turkish-Cypriot leadership called the move an attempt to mislead international public opinion but added that any-

thing that makes life easier for some of the island's Turkish minority is welcome.

## Red Parade Postponed

MOSCOW (UPI) — Russia's traditional May Day military parade will not be held this year but will take place on May 9—the 20th anniversary of the defeat of the Nazis, it was announced Saturday.

Instead there will be a civilian demonstration, Tass news agency said.

Russian authorities apparently felt that the military parade would be more suitable on May 9 and the two dates were too close together to warrant two military demonstrations.

## Wouldn't You?

It's tempting situation when small boy sees line of police constables marching out to patrol their beats. Naturally, 11-year-old George Burdick of Hamilton, Ont., yields to temptation.—(CP)

## When Gas Man Came Everybody Went

WARSAW (UPI) — For 20 years a Polish family lived without worry in their house at Anin, just outside Warsaw.

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## Prince Insists

### No Outsiders Wanted At Cambodia Parley

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (UPI) — Chief of State, Prince Norodom Sihanouk said Saturday that there was no need to invite the United States, Thailand, or South Viet Nam to the conference he is urging to guarantee Cambodia's neutrality.

Sihanouk said Friday that his nation would refuse to attend any conference on Cambodia if it were convened as a pretext to discuss the Vietnamese crisis. Diplomat in the east and west have suggested that the Cambodia talks would be a way of getting the Viet Nam issue to the conference table.

**NOT SIGNATORY**  
Sihanouk said if Cambodia were to attend, the meeting would have to be limited to discussing its borders and neutrality, which he fears is threatened by neighboring South Viet Nam.

He said there is no need to invite the United States because it did not sign the 1954 Geneva Agreement that created Cambodia and the two Viet Nams.

Inviting Thailand and South Viet Nam, allies of the United States, would only bring the east-west conflict to the meeting, he said. South Viet Nam's

## Pearson Asked For Flag

CHICAGO (UPI) — Representatives of the Canadian government Saturday had to ask Prime Minister Pearson to send them a flag to fly atop a hotel in Chicago for a trade show.

The Canadian consulate had a supply of flags but none large enough to match the U.S. flag, as protocol demands, a spokesman for the Canadian apparel show said.

O'Hare International Airport had a Canadian flag of the proper size, but it was the old Red Ensign, not the new red maple leaf flag Canada adopted Feb. 14.

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# Asia Teetering: War or Peace?

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON (AP)—U.S. officials believe the Viet Nam conflict has reached a stage at which it might swing rapidly toward either a peaceful settlement or a much bigger Asian war.

Whether or when either of these alternatives comes about, they say, depends largely on what course the North Vietnamese choose.

A growing sense of crisis over the trend of the struggle is said to be reflected in a speech given here Friday night by U.S. State Secretary Dean Rusk. In this he bluntly rejected various proposals for a softening of U.S. military pressures against North Viet Nam and reaffirmed tough, determined U.S. policy in Viet Nam.

## DANGEROUS RESULTS

Associates said Rusk wanted to act against any miscalculation by North Viet Nam or China of the significance of debates within the U.S. over American strategy. They said any belief on the part of the Asian Communist leaders that President Johnson might call off U.S. attacks without a cease-fire on the Communist side could lead to extremely dangerous results.

Rusk said in his speech to the American Society of International Law that the United States is bombing the north because of its continued aggression against South Viet Nam and added: "When that aggression ceases, effective measures in defence against it will cease."

## HOPE FOR NEW LOW

Hope for early Communist agreement in peace talks on Viet Nam fell to a low point during the last week after North Viet Nam rejected a proposal for unconditional discussions which had been made by 17 non-aligned countries and accepted by the president.

There still is some speculation that the Communists may be interested in going to an international conference on the security of Cambodia where they would be able to discuss, behind the scenes, Viet Nam issues with the U.S. representatives.

Apart from the mechanics of peace probes, such hope as now exists in the Johnson administration for a peaceful settlement in Southeast Asia springs from a belief among top officials that at some time in the months ahead North Viet Nam will be compelled to choose between peace and its own destruction.

One of the critical questions now constantly before the Johnson administration is whether North Vietnamese leaders can

be forced to face up to that choice before expansion of U.S. military operations and threatened intervention by Communist China convert the present conflict to a more general war, involving China.

Within the last 10 days the United States has planned extensive enlargement of South Vietnamese military forces and an increase in U.S. forces in South Viet Nam to build them to 50,000 or more.

Officials still deny any intent to turn the Vietnamese conflict into a Korea type war but say nevertheless that if China intervenes on a large scale the United States might have to send 300,000 or more troops to fight in Southeast Asia.

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## Limited Control

A SUGGESTION by Mayor Rathie of Vancouver that a joint air pollution control board for the Greater Vancouver and Greater Victoria areas might be formed soon brings to the fore again the fact that no matter how municipalities may join forces for a common purpose they have no power to enforce their wishes beyond their collective borders.

There would be merit, no doubt, in having uniform and effective anti-air-pollution regulations in all the municipalities of the two metropolitan regions, so that there could be no competition in the form of laxness of rules or enforcement among councils eager to add more industry to their tax bases.

But that would be something much less than half a loaf. What the two large communities—and other smaller centres in the province—need is protection from fouling of their air from sources that may be on their very doorsteps, but beyond their borders and their jurisdictions.

Perhaps, however, the formation of a joint board of the magnitude suggested by Mayor Rathie would have some effect in this respect also. Representing as it would the majority of the people of British Columbia, it might at last convince the government that air pollution demands provincial action.

## Matter of Surmise

IN A FEW DAYS the British House of Commons will be discussing, although only in a preliminary fashion, the advisability of having some of its activities televised. The motion is merely that the House is of the opinion that the time has arrived for a select committee to examine the possibilities and arrange experiments "bearing in mind the feeling of many MPs that limited relays and televised summaries of debates would create greater public interest in parliamentary proceedings." The ultimate aim of its sponsor, however, is daily half-hour television summaries and "live" TV broadcasts of the most important debates.

The British example, if the move is quickly successful, will be of interest and value in Canada, similar proposals being in the air here. For in both countries, the results of showing Parliament on the home screen are a matter of surmise, and there are serious doubts that they would be on the whole beneficial.

Would the MPs, for instance, tend to play to the camera? To seek personal publicity through exhibitionism of various sorts? One school of thought sees this as a danger to the proper conduct of parliamentary business. The other visualizes the legislators, under public scrutiny through the video lens, behaving with more decorum and responsibility than in existing circumstances. (But do crowded galleries have this effect?)

In Canada's case, would the CBC be under constant fire for alleged favoritism in its selection of picture-and-sound shots for summaries? Almost certainly; to maintain a balance satisfying to all concerned would be next to impossible.

Would a significant portion of the potential television audience—enough to justify the expense—give up other programs to watch and listen to their MPs in action?

And not least important: would public respect for and interest in Parliament grow or decline if television viewers were to be daily reminded for instance of the degree of absenteeism from the Commons, and perhaps disgusted by the antics of some of the members?

If Britain's Commons proceeds to admit television coverage, Canada may have the good fortune to know the right answers to most of these questions before Ottawa is called upon to make a decision one way or the other.

## The Best Protection

EDUCATION, it might be said, is the handmaiden of medicine in the campaign against cancer. There are some, unfortunately, who tend to be critical of attempts to enlighten the public in this sphere. They contend that such methods as the forum in the Central Junior High School auditorium on Monday, April 26, only succeed in creating fear and apprehensiveness, and a preoccupation with possible symptoms of disease. Even if this were true it might serve a useful purpose. For the best protection against cancer is a constant guard.

Before the discovery of X-ray in 1896 and its later application to the treatment of cancer, surgery was the only remedy. Today there are additional methods of treatment. The radiation processes have been expanded, hormones and chemical treatments have been introduced. And there have been significant advances in surgical techniques.

Such forums as this one on Monday serve three very important purposes: they provide intelligent answers to written questions from the audience; they stress the hopeful progress being made in the increasingly fruitful fields of research and treatment; and they encourage the public's participation in the campaign by contributions towards its finances without which advances would be slowed.

"We feel," says Dr. H. M. Edmison, who is chairman of the forum, "that we are doing the public a service by disseminating information on cancer generally. Through a wider knowledge of the subject we can hope to destroy fear. The fact that many types of cancer can be cured should surely be encouraging information."

The world of medicine has achieved much in the past 40 years: achievements which have very materially reduced the suffering of mankind. It would be safe to claim that much of the progress stems from a widening interest on the part of the people served and by just such programs as Monday's forum represents.

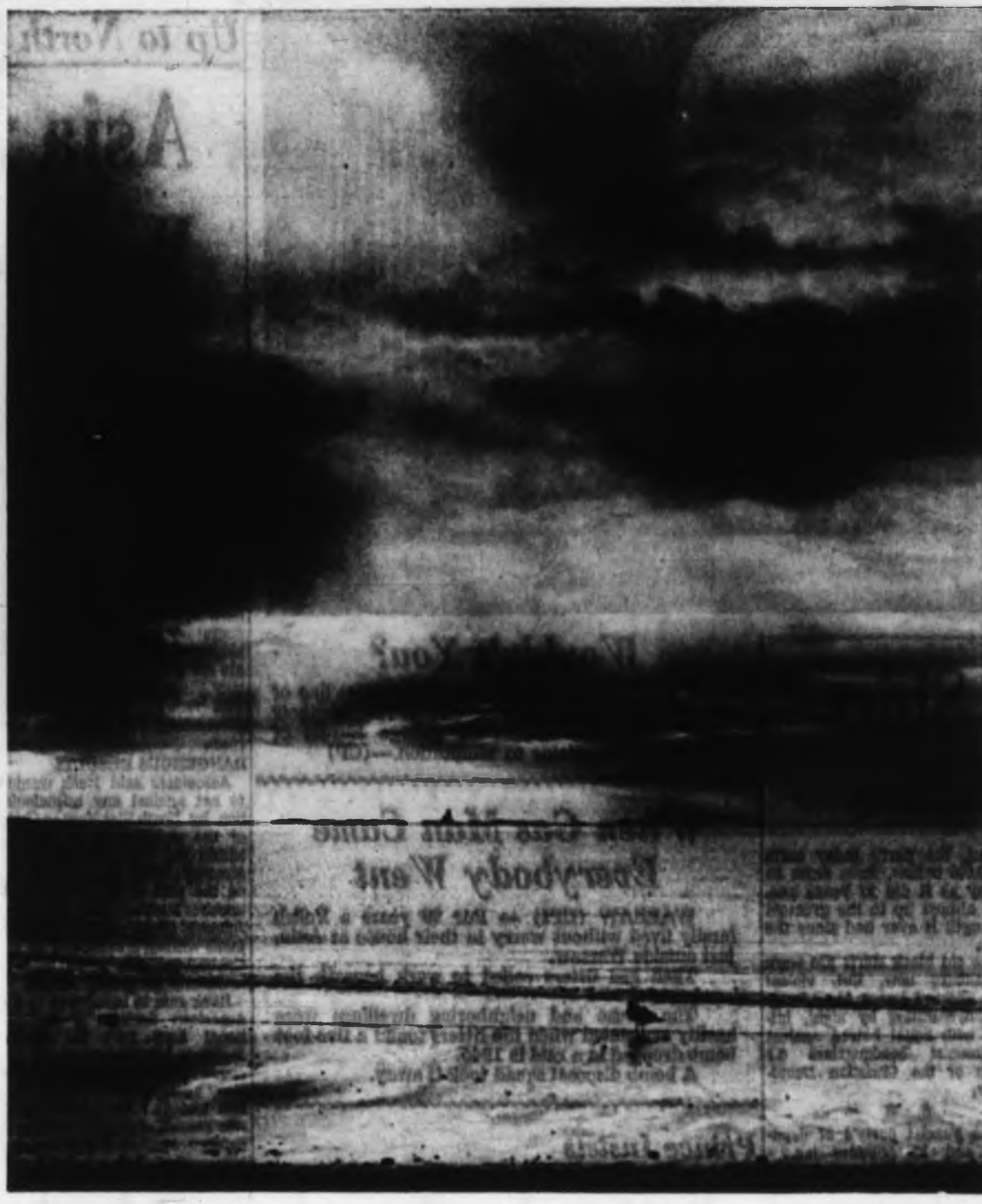
### Harvard Tibbits

## Listening Ability

HON. J. A. MacLEAN (Queens): I should like to direct a question to the Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys and ask him if the Dominion Observatory has the capability to listen to and evaluate radio emissions from outer space, which a Russian astronomer claims are transmitted by intelligent beings?

Hon. W. M. Benoit (Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys): ... I want to assure my hon. friend that up to now the Observatory has not indicated to me it has such capabilities.

Mr. MacLean (Queens): May I ask a supplementary question. Will the Minister consider providing the Dominion Observatory with such a capability, especially in the light of the fact that the Government apparently does not listen to intelligent beings elsewhere?



Morning Calm

—Photograph by Bob Korman

### Interference Across the Border

## Dangerous Rule to Transgress

By HOWARD GREEN  
Former Secretary of State for  
External Affairs

RECENTLY Canadians have been given a good example of how NOT to gain friends and influence United States policy. I refer to the action of our prime minister in making a speech to an American audience in which he told them what their government should do next in Viet Nam.

This was strange procedure for one trained in the arts of diplomacy. It shows what is apt to happen when a diplomat becomes a professional politician.

No doubt there were sympathetic listeners in the hall but there seems to have been little applause in the White House. Indeed we read the following comment in "U.S. News and World Report" which is the most reliable American weekly dealing with current events: "Lester Pearson, Canadian prime minister, is in what amounts to a White House 'doghouse' for coming to U.S. and sounding off on what U.S. should do in Viet Nam."

Mr. Pearson seems to have done this without giving President Johnson any warning of his intention to make such a statement. Yet arrangements had been made beforehand, and obviously under pressure from the Canadian government—that the prime minister would be entertained by the president the next day at Camp David.

This presidential retreat is in the hills quite a distance from Washington but someone briefed the press about the luncheon so late that they arrived on the scene. Here again the Canadians seem to have been the last to know of something that was being done in Washington.

However the reception for the reporters at Camp David was somewhat less than cordial, at least on the part of the president. Dispatches indicate that he was in an unfriendly mood and had little to say. Evidently he was doing more thinking than talking at this stage—no doubt believing he was being used for someone else's publicity.

One can scarcely wonder at his displeasure. The situation in Viet Nam is no bed of roses for him. He has been under attack by supposedly friendly nations abroad and at home the question is politically very "hot." His opponents are doing all in their power to make political capital out of his every move.

Another strange feature of the incident was that Mr. Martin, the secretary of state for external affairs, was praising President Johnson's policy on Viet Nam in the House of Commons about the same time that Mr. Pearson was being critical. Reports of the two speeches were printed on the same front page next day.

How much better it would have been for Mr. Pearson to make his statement in the House of Commons where it could have been subjected to analysis. Canada has a direct involvement in Viet Nam as a member of the Truce Supervisory Commission and the prime minister should have directed

his remarks to his own people.

Not so long ago, when in Opposition, he appeared to be working with the Americans against the Canadian government of the day on the question of whether Canada should bring nuclear weapons into her aid.

Now he is telling them how to run their own business.

Surely the lesson is clear that each country should be careful not to presume on the friendship of the other.

Questions in which Canada is involved should be debated in Parliament in order that the Canadian people may know the facts and that a Canadian policy can be worked out. It is not the responsibility of our leaders to try to influence American public opinion by making speeches in the United States on controversial questions.

In such cases we would be well advised to make our representations to the American government through the regular diplomatic channels. Their cabinet ministers will give

proper consideration to views as expressed and we could not then be accused of going behind their backs to the American people.

The contacts between the two countries are legitimate and are bound to increase. Both nations are inclined to bridge at protocol. Yet in the long run cooperation will be furthered and friction reduced if leaders on both sides of the border are careful to refrain from trying to place views directly before the citizens of the neighboring country.

It is particularly important for Canada not to transgress this rule as Mr. Pearson has done. We have far more to lose from interference by American leaders in our affairs than they have from actions of our public men. This is no because for us our independence may ultimately be at stake.

We always have the problem of maintaining it in the shadow of a mighty neighbor. This will not be easy and certainly careless interference by our own leaders will not improve the situation.

### An Opinion from Montreal

## Copying Our Neighbors

By GERARD PELLETIER

WE'VE there it is. We too we have our "Great Society," our campaign against social inequality and poverty, even a "Peace Corps" complete with a name evolved from Canadian history, "The Company of Young Canadians." Mr. Pearson has confirmed that these initiatives, announced in the Throne Speech, will be undertaken promptly.

A magnificent program, without a doubt. But, doesn't it remind you of something? A certain Mr. Andre Gromyko, perhaps, who once described Canada as "this boring second-fiddle of the United States." The Soviet minister was thinking of our foreign policy, a perfect copy of the American

position at the time. Since then we have varied from the American theme. Oh, we certainly couldn't like Mr. Pearson to Talleyrand, turning the Vienna Congress upside down, but our federal government does manage to maintain a certain distinctiveness from American imitation by making speeches in Viet Nam, for instance.

Why then, must we copy, almost to the last comma, the internal policy of our great neighbor? Why this barely disguised plagiarism? If author's rights existed in governmental initiatives, Mr. Johnson could take action against Mr. Pearson and Co.

Now, you might say that I am worrying myself about unimportant details, and that there is no shame in copying fruitful ideas. Quite true. And I certainly don't intend to protest against the positive and realistic spirit of the measures we are promised. I certainly prefer the "great society without poor" of Mr. Johnson, pardon me, Mr. Pearson, to the great "northern vision" of Mr. Diefenbaker, a grandiose and abstract project of which nothing was realized.

What bothers me about this plagiarism is that it points up a complete lack of imagination among our public men.

Let us limit ourselves, for purposes of this article, to the Company of Young Canadians. First of all, I wonder if Ottawa is aware that it is a copy of a copy. There have long been Youth Brigades in the U.S.S.R. and in almost all Communist countries. Of course, we can't borrow something directly from an Iron Curtain country. But, once Mr. Kennedy improvised on the idea in founding his

Peace Corps, it became acceptable to us.

But, can we be certain that the American version will suit Canada?

In the international field it is quite probable that the Company of Young Canadians will do excellent work, better even than that being done by the American Peace Corps. For, despite the fact that the two countries are geographically rich, our economies will undoubtedly be better received in underdeveloped countries than those of powerful America.

But, how about inside Canada? Many young Canadians would like to help others less fortunate than themselves, but they can only help if they can first graduate from university.

A Company of Young Canadians is a good thing, but, as it will inevitably end up as a small band of exceptional young people, it will hardly "channel the energy and talents" of Canadian youth. Before embarking on this, it probably would have been smarter to study the schemes many student bodies have under way right now. These students are putting their massive energies to work every summer setting up a work projects that create realistic levels of employment.

Is such a solution economically feasible?

That remains to be seen. But, none the less, it corresponds to a crying need, while the Company of Young Canadians envisaged by Ottawa is a luxury item, best suited to satisfying national pride by permitting us to say, "We, too, have our Peace Corps" rather than to channeling the energy of our youth.

### Not So Docile?

## Surprising Findings

By SHAWN HERRON

WHEN I phoned our local American Automobile Association office for a trip that would take me where I wanted to be, the nice young woman said: "What is your zip code?" (That's a code number to be added to your postal address.) "I don't know. I never use it."

"Triple A is trying to persuade its members to use their zip codes before January 1, 1967, after which all mail not having the zip code in the address will be returned to sender."

"When will the post office give us numbers and dispense with our names?"

"We have no information on that, sir, at this time." "What about poor ignorant foreigners who write us and don't know our zip codes? Will their letters be returned by the post office?"

"Yes, sir. They will also be given zip codes, of course."

"You mean the U.S. post office will, after January 1, 1967, tell even foreigners they will have to obey the U.S. post office?"

"It is for efficiency in delivery, sir."

I report this to illustrate the encroaching docility of some of the American people but I have a prejudice to serve: I hate all postmasters-general, British, Canadian or American, with a consistent and unvarying hatred. I bear towards them an active, personal enmity. The American post office is a monumental testimony to dictatorial inefficiency but unquestionably its tyranny will be quickly accepted.

Apart from this governmental tyrant, there is also the Internal Revenue Service which at this time of year brutalizes our most sensitive feelings; there are the Pentagon, the FBI and Madison Avenue with all its exotic commissars forcing down our throats things we don't want and cannot afford.

This last is an interesting thing. It has been repeated ad nauseam that Madison Avenue preys on our weaknesses and takes us as easily as a finger-man at a fair. One of the most respected research centres in the U.S., the University of Michigan's Survey Research Centre, says it isn't so. The centre is directed by Dr. Eva Mueller, professor of economics, who ought to be sober enough.

She says that with respect to certain things of small consequence, like shoes, the American buyer is an impulsive buyer, but in the area of substantial expenditures he is a canny shopper. A refrigerator is a substantial expenditure, or a kitchen range, a TV set or a washing machine.

The gestation period before a purchase is made in this kind of appliance is two months. Six out of every ten buyers consult friends and relatives, and in two-thirds of all cases there is a full family discussion. Only three per cent of buyers read reports from testing agencies of the Consumers' Union type, 60 per cent consider more than one brand name, and 40 per cent do not examine appliances in more than one price range.

One-fourth of all appliance buyers exhibited "most of the essential features of problem solving behavior." Another fourth showed an almost total lack of what is regarded as rational decision making, but this fourth appeared to have good reasons for quick decisions: (a) the old machine broke down, (b) they saw a good buy, (c) they repeated a model from which they had had good service. The other half of the buying public ranged from moderately rational to a "small group whose behavior did appear careless and capricious."

Forty per cent visited more than one store when buying appliances, but only 25 per cent did so when buying shirts. This report must do something to relieve the sinister reputation of the motivational research houses whose services are said to be corrupting us and destroying our will to examine or discriminate.

Dr. Mueller's study attacks another view of the American shopper held by weighty observers like Galbraith and Packard: that Americans in general pursue luxuries to outdo the Joneses. They do not, says Dr. Mueller, they merely pursue middle class comforts.

This is not at all the authorized version and some thought would have to be given to a definition of "middle class comforts." Dr. Mueller says: "As people we strive for status, recognition, the esteem of family and friends. . . . Consumption is not the only path towards this goal but certainly it is a significant path."

I'm not sure that boat consumption is "middle class comfort" but it certainly is in a great many cases for a striving "for status recognition and esteem . . ." and not because of mere boatmanship, and the buying of boats has become an American passion. Learning how to handle them is much less important to many of the buyers and this does suggest an interest beyond the ownership and operation of a means of transport or pleasure.

The expert conclusion appears to be, however, that Americans

are not at all what they have been assumed by Europeans and other Americans to be. They are now judged to be careful shoppers, critical in their consumer judgment and not especially influenced in their purchases by envy of others. From what I have been able to gather from my neighbors, they are quite surprised to hear it.

### Time Capsule

## Gasoline Drought

From Colonist Files

THE B.C. government announced officially that gasoline prices would be regulated at retail outlets throughout the province "by virtue of Regulation No. 10 of the Provincial Fuel Control Board, passed on Aug. 1 last year and now to be enforced," 35 years ago.

The almost immediate result was a reduction of three cents a gallon. The new prices ordered by the board varied from 24 cents a gallon for ordinary gasoline in Vancouver and 25 cents in Victoria, and at most Vancouver Island points to 33 cents at Prince George.

But all companies quickly resorted by cutting off supplies except for vital services, starting a gasoline drought that lasted several days.

From Quebec came news that a law conferring on the women of that province the right to vote and to run for office in provincial elections had been given royal assent.

About 50 men had applied in Victoria area to become aviators in the Royal Navy, 50 years ago.

But, the Colonist reported, "the probability is that few of the 50 . . . will be accepted, owing to the strictness of the regulations. The age limit is given as 19 to 23. Applicants over that age will not be accepted unless they can put forward exceptional reasons. . . . The necessity of private expenditure is apparently not having much effect in reducing the number of applicants. Each would-be aviator is required to pay the expenses incidental to his training, which are expected to amount to about \$400— which, however, would be largely refundable on acceptance by the Admiralty."

Pupils of the fine new Craigflower school on the opposite side of the road from the old building "now serving as a manual training room and caretaker's residence" were busy by doing.

"The only other school, it is reported, in the district that has undertaken to make a school garden is Saanichton."

The Colonist was unhappy again over the state of Victoria's street lighting, 75 years ago.

"For the past week the city of Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 or 1 every night, has been in a state of almost utter darkness, the pale, slim crescent moon and the private lights maintained by the storekeepers alone serving to illuminate the streets."

"For the great amount paid for city lighting the people do not receive a tithe of the value of their money, the system being evidently run for the sole benefit of the employers and of crime, which dark streets induce. Either the electric light committee should give place to men who have a better knowledge of their duties, or they should change their staff. At any rate, 'let us have light.'"

An item quoted from the San Francisco Alta forecast an oil industry in California 100 years ago, though the automotive possibilities could not have been imagined.

"We were yesterday shown quite a number of samples of California petroleum, crude and refined, which have every appearance of being equal to the very finest quality of the eastern article. . . . The samples were obtained from springs on the property owned or controlled by Levi Parsons, and we are assured that the ability of California to produce not only any amount required for home consumption, but for exporting to other countries, will be satisfactorily demonstrated at no distant date."

The Librarian of the Mechanical Library Institute (the forerunner of the Victoria Public Library) had quit, and the management committee was looking for a new one—at \$40 a month, "with an increase proportioned to the number of members."

### With the Classics

Fair Quiet, have I found this here.

And Innocence, thy sister dear? Mistaken long, I sought you then in busy companies of men. Your sacred plants, if here below.

Only among the plants will grow; Society is all but rude To this delicious solitude.

—ARTHUR MARSH



# Quebec Claim Adds Fuel To Constitutional Debate

By KEN KELLY  
from Ottawa

The claim to treaty-making powers expressed by Quebec's education minister Paul Gérin-Lajoie is sure to be a big issue in the continuing constitutional debate inside and outside parliament.

His claim was challenged in official Ottawa circles soon after it was made in an address to a group of foreign consular officials.

Prime Minister Pearson then entered the fray, suggesting diplomatically that if a province wants to initiate an international agreement with a foreign country he assumes the province will work through the federal government's external affairs machinery.

The same day, Gérin-Lajoie returned to the question in another public speech. He asserted Quebec's right to initiate international agreements with foreign countries not only in matters under provincial jurisdiction but also in matters of joint federal-provincial jurisdiction.

His remarks were backed up by Premier Jean Lesage but apparently only with respect to

treaties involving matters within provincial jurisdiction.

Then External Affairs Minister Martin joined the debate. In a statement, Martin noted that where matters on which an agreement is sought fall under provincial jurisdiction, "the

provinces can discuss detailed arrangements directly with the competent authorities of the country concerned."

But when a formal international agreement is to be concluded, he added, federal powers related to "the conduct of

over-all foreign policy must necessarily come into operation."

These public statements may be a prelude to demands for a new definition of treaty-making powers at the federal-provincial conference scheduled for May 31.

But before the conference opens the whole question will get an airing in the Commons.

Questions were raised on the subject in the Commons last month at the end of the last parliamentary session. Since then Gérin-Lajoie has made his

two speeches on the subject while parliament was having an Easter recess.

The British North America Act, the basic constitutional document, has this to say about treaties:

"The parliament and government of Canada shall have all powers necessary and proper for performing the obligations of Canada or of any province thereof . . . toward foreign countries, arising under treaties . . ."

This section appears to be the basis for the official view of the external affairs department:

"If a province should try to negotiate and enter into treaties in its own right, this would be inconsistent with the constitutional position in Canada, according to which the federal government alone can make treaties."

Gérin-Lajoie's view, on the other hand, is that the federal government is powerless to assure the working out and application of agreements it concludes with other countries if these

agreements fall within the sphere of provincial jurisdiction.

"It is not only for constitutional and for internal political reasons that Quebec has decided to negotiate agreements directly with foreign countries but also for reasons of efficiency."

He also said that Quebec intends to negotiate agreements with foreign countries not only within exclusively provincial fields—for example, education—but also in areas of common interest with the federal government.

"In the fields which surpass in number of ways the division of powers (between the federal and provincial governments) such as the research sphere, Quebec as a member of the Canadian confederation wants to be present as a partner in the elaboration of policies and programs."

His implication was that in any treaty with another country involving both federal and provincial powers Quebec wants a seat at the treaty-making table on an equal footing with the federal external affairs negotiators.

(The Canadian Press)

## Johnson Move Loses Diplomatic Ground

By HAROLD MORRISON  
From Washington

President Johnson's request that the leaders of both India and Pakistan postpone their trips to Washington can be seen as a subtle suggestion to the non-aligned countries that he's gone as far as he will go in modifying the United States position in Viet Nam.

As do most world leaders, the president glows under world praise. He likes to feel that his policies are well received and that he is loved. He was highly enthused by the popularity generated by his offer of "unconditional discussions" in Viet

Nam coupled with a proposed \$1,000,000,000 aid program for the Indochina area.

To a great extent his offer is in line with the wishes of the 17 non-aligned countries which were seeking an acceptable avenue towards diplomatic negotiations on the dangerous Viet Nam situation that could grip the world in total war.

Britain was so enthused with Johnson's concessions that premature hope sprang in London that China and North Viet Nam soon would come to the conference table.

But Peking and Hanoi backed away from the Johnson offer

with such heat and abuse that even the non-aligned countries were stunned. The Soviet Union took a less determined position and there were well-advised diplomatic hints in British quarters that Moscow really wanted to end the Viet Nam conflict.

However, it was soon evident that Johnson had lost diplomatic ground. The Soviet Union suggested there could be no negotiations while the U.S. pounded North Viet Nam in gradually stepped up air raids. And an increasing number of the non-aligned countries echoed the suggestion made by Canada that Johnson ought to halt the air strikes temporarily. Johnson refused. It could be seen on the American side that one concession did nothing more than lead to more demands for concessions. Not only would there have to be a halt on U.S. air raids but also a demand that the U.S. negotiate directly with the Communist-led Viet Cong, in effect recognizing this element in a diplomatic way.

And while the pressure from friends and neutrals, including India and Pakistan, seemed to be bearing heavily on Johnson, the Americans noted with some concern that lesser pressure was being exerted from these quarters to get the Viet Cong to stop their offensive in South Viet Nam.

In the American viewpoint, prolonged diplomatic negotiations accompanied by a halt in the American aerial assault would merely give the Viet Cong the opportunity of extending their territory in South Viet Nam.

Johnson has decided to stand firm. His predecessor, the late president Kennedy, went to a great deal of trouble to open the White House to scores of countries. A steady stream of presidents and prime ministers poured into Washington. Now suddenly Johnson has turned off the tap and some alienation of world affection is taken for granted.

To some extent the American position in South Viet Nam is in danger of isolation. This must be a bitter disappointment to Johnson who now seems to have no recourse but to contemplate the abyss of a spreading war with China.

(The Canadian Press)

### BACKGROUND

### Politics in the Sawdust Ring

## Bennett Revives Chautauqua

By IAN STREET

Chautauqua, the old-time entertainment road show, died in Canada of multiple wounds inflicted by the movies, radio and the depression of the 1930s.

But in B.C. Premier Bennett is bringing a great tradition back to life.

His political enemies will chortle over that one, because the symbol of Chautauqua was the circus tent. But the premier knows the value of showmanship in politics, even the kind that is usually associated with the sawdust ring.

He prefers to remember Chautauqua as the medium through which the people of growing western provinces were introduced to culture and heard the famous orators of the early years of this century.

Mr. Bennett says with pride that he is the star performer on a new Chautauqua circuit that has already played the big cities and is now flourishing in the smaller centres of the province.

These are the non-partisan, non-political testimonial dinners that do honor to his record length of service in the office of premier.

There have been eight or 10 of these testimonials since

### CAPITAL REPORT



Mr. Bennett broke Sir Richard McBride's record of 12 years, six months and 15 days in office last Feb. 15.

Victoria, Vancouver, the communities of the North Shore, Kelowna, and several other communities have paid this tribute so far.

This week Mr. Bennett will attend four more: Prince George, Prince Rupert, and in the tiny communities of Lakelse and Houston. There are to be others next month—Cranbrook is one—this summer in the Peace River district.

The premier's office says there have been many more requests than so far the premier hasn't been able to fill. That leaves about 80 to 90 communities to go, by my calculation, if everyone is going to give a testimonial to the premier.

Since Social Credit is a grassroots movement, I suppose we—or rather the premier—must expect the worst. By the time we've gone around the lot another milestone of, say, 15 years will have been passed. Then we can start all over again.

The testimonial gifts will soon present a problem. At his press conference the other day the premier was asked by a reporter if he was building a barn on his Salt Spring Island property to store all the gifts.

No, the premier said, his weekend retreat is a simple little lean-to, a humble abode that allows him to get away from the pressures of his office.

When the party faithful gather, whether it be at a Sacred function or one of these non-partisan testimonials, there is often a strange blend of razzle-dazzle and early-1900 musical evening.

Walters traipses into the banquet hall with Baked Alaska held high. The lights are dimmed and sparklers ignited and stuck in the desert. In the background there is a tape recording blaring a Sacred campaign song.

Afterwards there's entertainment. The musical numbers are from the light classics with a bit of Rodgers and Hammerstein. Young lady singers wear long dresses and white gloves. Male singers favor songs like Beautiful Dreamer.

Then come the speeches including, of course, one by the guest of honor.

As Mr. Bennett said, it's the Chautauqua circuit. A little entertainment, some culture, and great speeches.

### CITY HALL COMMENT



## Let's Scrap Fool Law!

By A. M. MURPHY

It's about time we tossed out the stupid regulation which demands that liquor outlets be closed on municipal election day.

Among the reasons given for the disgraceful turnout (18.4 per cent) at the polls in Victoria last December was that people resented the fact that liquor stores, bars and beer parlors were closed.

Ald. Austin Curtis who is something of a specialist in electoral matters, says that closure, particularly on the new election day, Saturday, makes people angry.

"If we can't have our beer we won't vote," they say. I am not so sure that this is a big factor but I am sure that the law is an insult to the intelligence of the voter.

He is being told in effect: We are closing the bars so that you won't make a fool of yourself

### Only Three Tickets For Canada

WASHINGTON (CP)—A little research has shown that Canadian diplomats didn't have 15 unpaid traffic tickets on their ledger.

Contrary to recent published reports here, it was only three, says an embassy spokesman who went and checked the police files personally.

Figures for unpaid diplomatic violations were published here recently in full, showing about 6,500 for all Washington diplomats for the previous 10 months. Russia led with nearly 3,000.

Mistakes in police files led to the higher Canadian figure, the spokesman said. Canadians are under standing order to pay fines for traffic violations recorded against their diplomatic licenses but exceptions can be made for autos tagged while on official duty.

on election day. We don't want you to get drunk and fall to vote nor do we want you to sell your vote for a bottle of booze or a few drinks of beer.

He is being told that the bar is closed so that he won't get into an election brawl and wreck the joint. He is being told that the pubs are barred because some party hack or candidate's agent is liable to get him drunk and haul him off by the hand and there tell him how to vote.

It sounds pretty silly but what other interpretation can you put on closure?

Reasons for a dry election day may have been valid 100 or even 50 years ago but today they are just plain idiotic. God knows we have enough outdated laws on the books. This is one which could be scrapped and missed by no one.

And, of course it isn't only the voter who is deprived.

True there aren't many tourists here in December when municipal elections are held but this fool law applies for every election, provincial and federal.

That means that if you have a mid-summer election, with the town full of tourists, they, too, are deprived of the right to buy a drink during the hours the polls are open—and that is most of the day.

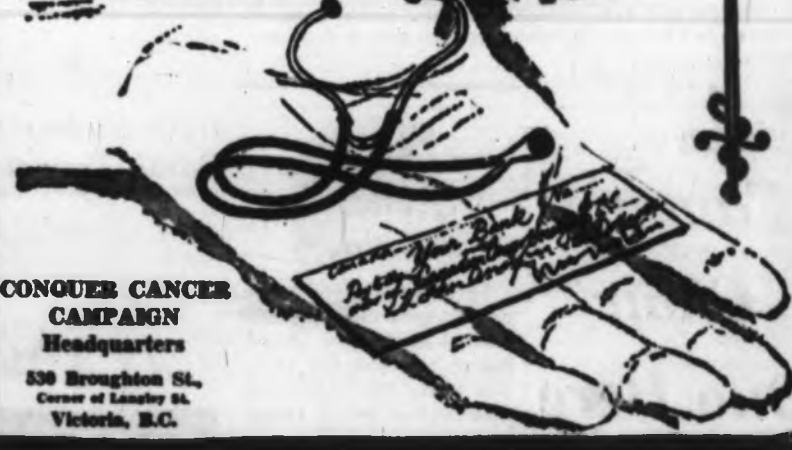
Not such a dreadful thing, perhaps, but an annoyance and an abrogation of liberty.

The B.C. Hotel Association has made several representations to the Liquor Board and to the Attorney-General's department on this matter. I suppose this organization could hardly be described as disinterested but I feel, in this matter, it speaks for a much larger group than its own membership.

I am told the association got exactly nowhere.

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# Jennifer Dances Way To Reunion With Family Here

A 19-year-old ballet dancer who pirouetted to the top in a hurry will spend a month-long vacation with her family here at the conclusion of the North American tour of the Royal Ballet Company at Vancouver in July.

Jennifer Penney's family, who live at 579 Downey, have seen little of her during the past five years.

"Just about the only time I have seen her is on television," said her father, Bev Penney.

When the family moved to the Okanagan in 1956, Jennifer joined the Canadian School of Ballet in Kelowna and studied for five years under Mrs. Gwenneth Lloyd, founder, and Mrs. Betty Farrally, former ballet mistress of the Royal Winnipeg Ballet.

Jennifer's interest in dancing began when she was three years old, when the family was farming near Mount Lehman, near Vancouver.

"She used to dance in the cow pasture," recalls her father.

Under their care she won scholarships to the Banff Summer School of Fine Arts four years in a row.



Jennifer Penney (second from left) in scene of ballet Romeo and Juliet. Seated is Margot Fonteyn, who co-stars with Rudolf Nureyev.

In less than year after leaving the Canadian School of Ballet for the Royal Ballet School in London, she was chosen by Dame Ninette de Valois, the director, to join the Royal Ballet Company.

In the company's current tour she dances the part of one of Juliet's six friends in the ballet, Romeo and Juliet, which stars the illustrious Margot Fonteyn and Rudolf Nureyev.

## Cradle Song Opens This Week

# Play Set in Convent

Delicate quiet humor is at the heart of *Cradle Song*, by Gregorio and Maria Martinez Serra, which begins a week's run on Saturday at Langham Court Theatre.

The play, translated from the Spanish, is directed by James Dulmage. It is a tender story of nuns in a convent who have a baby left upon their doorstep.

It was first produced in New York by Eva Le Gallienne who played the role of Joanna of the Cross, which will be played here by Doreen Renton. Helen Hayes later starred in the movie version, which began the long trend to convent movies, the most recent of which was *Lilies of the Field*.

Miss Hayes played the role of

the prioress, taken in this production by well-known Victoria actress, Elizabeth Mayne.

The part of the young girl, Teresa, is acted by Barbara Dunn of Oak Bay High School. Barbara won a scholarship to Banff in this year's School Drama Festival for her performance in *One Marries the Property*, directed by Phyllis Dulmage.

*Cradle Song* in spite of being laid in a convent, is not an all-female play. Three men are in it also.

Timothy Vernon has arranged the music and set the chants.

## From Bach to Sullivan

A program by the Peninsula Concert orchestra and the Metchoin Community Singers takes place at 8 p.m. at Claremont School on Thursday.

Works of Bach, Handel, Beethoven, von Suppe and Gilbert and Sullivan are included. The orchestra and choir director is Mr. Derek McDermot.

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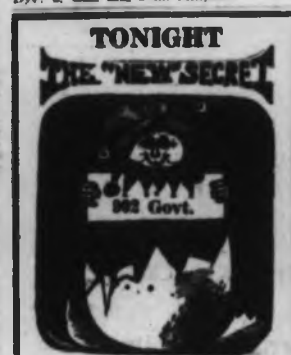
A feature of their programs is that all types of music are presented, tunes from the shows, classical and religious.

Victorians who sing in choirs themselves, or who are interested in singing will be interested to know that the cheapest seats are \$1.50, and all students, children and pensioners can obtain any seat in the house one hour prior to curtain time for \$1.

## Bridge Results

Muriel Balen and Fran Champion ranked up a 66 per cent game to take top honors in a strong field of 20 tables in the second session of the Victoria Duplicate Bridge Club's open pairs championship. Other overall winners were:

1. Victoria Area and Theo Marsh; 2. Paul Smith and Leo Stewart; 3. Jean Smith and Jim Wallace; 4. Elsie Cleworth and Eric Howard; 5. Hilda Girdle and Janet Lister; 6. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 7. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 8. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 9. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 10. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 11. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 12. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 13. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 14. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 15. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 16. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 17. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 18. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 19. Janet Lister and Janet Lister; 20. Janet Lister and Janet Lister.



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## Stage Struck? (Read On)

Auditions and interviews for people hoping to become students at the National Theatre School, Montreal, are to be held in the UBC auditorium, University of British Columbia, May 20 and 21.

Auditions and interviews will also be held in Victoria, May 22, but only if there are enough candidates to warrant it.

Persons to contact in Miss Dorothy Somerset, Department of Theatre, UBC. She is representative for National Theatre School candidates.

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Tomorrow—Salt Lake Symphonic Choir, McPherson Playhouse, 8 p.m.

Monday through Friday (also May 2-7)—Victoria Music Festival.

Thursday—Peninsula Concert Orchestra, Claremont School, 8:00.

Saturday—A Boy With A Cart, Christ Church Cathedral, 8:00.

Saturday—Junior Taitoo, Memorial Arena, 2:00 and 8:00.

May 10—Cradle Song, Langham Court Theatre, 8:15.

May 4 through 8—Dark of the Moon, McPherson Playhouse, 8:30.

May 11 through 15—The Merry Widow, McPherson Playhouse, 8:30.

May 11—Vera Barclay sings, sings and salutes, Art Gallery, 8:15.

May 12—Aries and Rotary Boys' Choir, Oak Bay Junior High School, 8:15.

May 13—Spring Choral Concert, Esquimalt United Church, 8:00.

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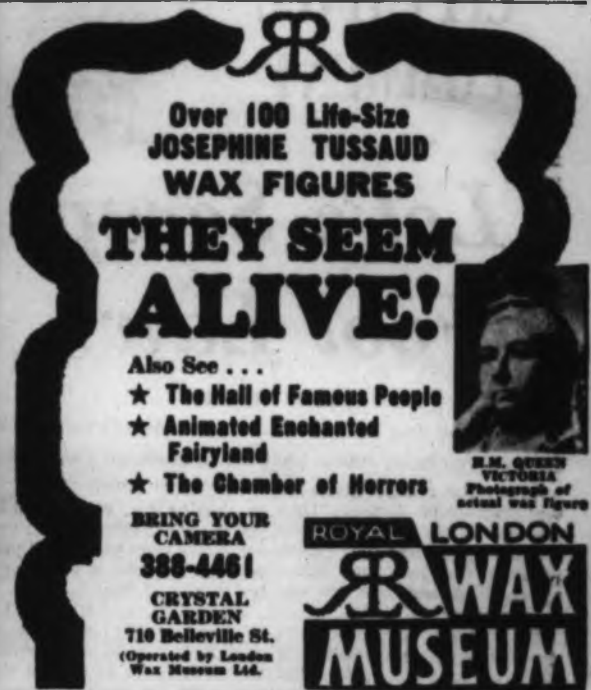
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## Health Board

# Plumper Bay Mill Last Smoke Target

The Metropolitan Board of Health will deal with the subject of smoke nuisance from Plumper Bay Sawmills Ltd. at its next meeting, a board spokesman said Saturday.

Spokesman was Dr. J. L. M. Whitbread, the board's senior medical health officer, who also said the company has ignored previous requests to control smoke.

### OUTSIDE BOUNDARY

Described by Victoria city hall officials as the last major source of smoke in the district, the sawmill and its refuse burners do not come under city smoke control because they are outside municipal boundaries.

For the same reason, the Metropolitan Board of Health could take no direct action when the Plumper Bay smoke problem was brought before it about two years ago.

### NO ANSWER

The board has appealed to Ottawa and the Indian affairs department, on whose land the sawmill is situated.

They have heard nothing from these appeals.

## Meetings

### MONDAY

- Gyro Club of Victoria, Empress Hotel, noon.
- Spanish Revere-Hugh Curtis will address Douglas Rotary Club, Tally-Ho, 6 p.m.
- Oak Bay United Church Men's Club, church hall, 6:30 p.m.
- T. J. MacKinnon will address Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Union Club, 8 p.m.
- Alumni Association, University of Victoria, Student Union Building, 8 p.m.
- Victoria Amateur Movie Association, 1110 Hillside, 8 p.m.
- Donald Harvey will speak at Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, 8:30 p.m.

## Cuba Seeks Harvesters

MIAMI (AP)—Seven thousand and residents of Cuban cities will be recruited to cut cane in a final push to harvest 5, 100,000 tons of sugar by May 1, Havana radio reported Friday.

The goal was set by Fidel Castro, who cut cane himself during Easter week.

# Crisis Won't Last—Groos

## Return to Regional Shipbuilding Bids Predicted

By GARY OAKES

Victoria MP David Groos believes the federal government will soon reject national bidding on shipbuilding contracts.

At the same time the Liberal

member warned Saturday that without government subsidies, Canada's shipyards will lose shipbuilding contracts to foreign competitors.

Mr. Groos said a national bidding system penalizes west coast shipyards because of higher wages here.

But he is optimistic that regional bidding will be resumed. "We'll get our fair share of all government business," Mr. Groos said. "Local shipyard owners will not be disappointed."

A \$3,000,000 contract for conversion of Esquimalt-based de-

troyer escort HMCS Fraser was awarded on a national tendering basis to Canadian Vickers Ltd. in Montreal.

And Defence Minister Hellyer has termed regional bidding an "inefficient" way of shipbuilding.

### SHIP NEEDS

Mr. Groos said he has learned all future government shipbuilding will be dealt with by the industry department and an outline of the government's ship needs over a lengthy period will be given to all shipyards.

"This will be welcomed by the industry," Mr. Groos said.

"because it will enable shipyards to plan ahead four or five years."

### UNDER STUDY

Regarding the government's 35 per cent subsidy on shipbuilding which was frozen in February, Mr. Groos said a committee is studying the question to determine whether it should be removed altogether or raised or lowered.

If the committee decides to retain subsidies, Mr. Groos will ask the government to time payment retroactive to the time of the freeze.

# Confirmation Of Ore Body Began Boom

By JACK LEFFLER

NEW YORK (AP)—On April 8, 1964, rumors of a fabulous ore discovery in Northern Ontario circulated in business circles.

Four days later, Texas Gulf Sulphur Company, the reputed discoverer, described the rumors as premature.

### FIND CONFIRMED

But another four days later discovery of a huge silver, copper and zinc ore body was confirmed by Texas Sulphur.

The find set off the biggest rush since the days of the Klondike.

### CLAIMS STAKED

Prospectors stamped to stake claims on adjacent property. Hundreds of speculators poured into the town economically depressed old gold mining town of Timmins.

Stories soon were heard of fortunes made nearly overnight.

### STOCKS BOOM

A boom in mining stocks occurred on the Toronto and New York stock exchanges.

In June, 1964, Texas Gulf announced that its discovery was even bigger than expected—some 50,000,000 tons of high-grade ore.

### PROBE BEGUN

Immediately after Texas Gulf first confirmed the discovery, the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission began an investigation of the company's handling of the two announcements.

And it delved into purchases of Texas Gulf stock by a dozen of the company's officers and employees between November, 1963, when first test holes were drilled into the ore body, and April 16, 1964.

### SUIT FILED

Last week the commission filed a civil suit charging that the officers and employees—insiders—profited from advance knowledge of the ore strike before it was made known to the public.

The suit seeks to recover profits made from these purchases.

### WHONGDOING DENIED

Claude O. Stephens, president of Texas Gulf, denied there had been any legal or moral wrongdoing. He indicated that the purchases were prompted by

other favorable developments improving the prospects of the company.

### SPECULATION

"Rumors of a discovery in the Timmins area were first reported by the press (in Canada) on or about April 8," Stephens recalled. "These articles and unrelated reports, circulated in the mining and brokerage circles of Timmins and Ontario, started wide speculation in Canadian mining stocks."

### TO RESPOND

Stephens said Texas Gulf directors decided it was necessary to respond "to the increasingly sensational stories appearing in the Canadian and American press."

They issued a statement saying "these reports exaggerate the scale of operations and mention plans and statistics of size and grade of ore that are without factual basis... more drilling would be required for proper evaluation."

### MORE TESTS

More tests were made immediately.

On the basis of these additional tests, Stephens said, a press release was prepared and a press conference was called for April 16 in New York. The company announced that tests indicated an ore body of 25,000,000 tons.

Financial circles speculated that if the SEC is successful in its suit, it would open the way for a deluge of suits by Texas Gulf stockholders who sold their stock at low prices without knowledge of the progress of tests on the Timmins property.

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An air photo interpretation course will be held at the federal forestry research laboratory here next week.

About 30 representatives from federal and provincial governments and universities connected with the Agriculture Rehabilitation and Development Act will attend the one-week course given by Jack Molard of Edmonton.

It's part of ARDA's long range program to ensure land is properly utilized.

### FIRST STEP

First step is an aerial survey to determine the present land use.

The course will be followed by three days of instruction for those taking part in this summer's survey of a forestry area between Quenell and Prince George.

Air photo interpreter Doug Lacate will instruct the smaller group in the techniques and equipment to be used in the survey.

## Girls Aid Palsy Campaign

Three Oak Bay girls who have been working hard for more than two weeks to raise money for the Cerebral Palsy clinic here will deliver the results Tuesday afternoon.

About \$15 was collected through a puppet show and in a neighbor door-to-door bottle drive staged by Cindy Russell, nine, of 878 St. Patrick's, and sisters Suzanne, 10, and Louise Coleman, eight, of 618 Oliver.

They will travel to the Jubilee palsy clinic in Royal Jubilee Hospital to hand over the proceeds of their hard work to clinic officials at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon.

## British Patrol Unhurt by Bomb

ADEN (UPI)—Terrorists tossed a hand grenade from a rooftop at a British army patrol in downtown Aden Saturday night, but no one was hurt.

The anti-British campaign is being waged by the Cairo-backed "Liberation Front" which aims at annexing the British colony of Aden for the Yemen Republic.

# Canadian Financier Opposes More Foreign Investment

By ARRY YOUNG  
Columnist Business Editor

Canada's official policy of encouraging foreign companies to permit wider Canadian ownership of their Canadian subsidiaries is not approved by Maurice Strong, president of Power Corporation of Canada.

Mr. Strong says it would be better for Canada if investors, instead of becoming minority holders in foreign firms, were

to put their money into Canadian companies.

"We have only limited equity capital," says Mr. Strong. He believes Canadians can best use their investment money by maintaining control of those industries which Canadians still control rather than "putting our money under foreign control."

"If we buy minority interests in foreign-owned subsidiaries we diminish our pool of equity

capital to build Canadian companies."

On the other hand Mr. Strong favors any move which would enable Canadians to repatriate control of foreign-owned companies operating in Canada.

The top executive of Power Corporation is referring to recent issues by leading chemical companies which have offered minority shares to Canadian investors.

These include Union Carbide, Du Pont of Canada, Chemcell and Canadian Industries Ltd.

The first three are controlled by U.S. firms and CIL is an offshoot of Britain's Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd.

These companies have all increased their Canadian ownership but their reason has been mainly inspired for the selfish reason of making them eligible for the government's tax relief which is applicable to Canadian subsidiaries of foreign companies who have 25 per cent or more Canadian ownership.

About \$200,000,000 of Canadian investment money has been placed in shares of foreign-controlled Canadian companies in the past year.

Mr. Strong is not against foreign investment in Canada, but he thinks it is better for Canadians to put their money into firms where Canadians dictate the policy.

## Store Scrapping Cryptic Machine

To simple-minded folk who learned that two and two made four and that a machine was not necessary to get the answer, the modern age of computer devices and office machinery is a misery.

Bank statements, with their cryptic signals and their long arrays of figures, and with none of them lining up in columns as the old ledger clerk produced them, are a particular headache for those who have not grown up in the machine age.

The other day, customers of one of Victoria's larger retail stores received a letter from the firm saying it had received many complaints about the statements turned out by its electronic computer.

As this firm is old-fashioned enough to believe that the customer is always right, it has scrapped the offensive type of billing and has promised in future to give a monthly statement that will be self-explanatory to anyone who can read the Queen's English.

## Week's Vancouver Trading

WEEK ENDED APRIL 12, 1964									
Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Change	Stock	Sales	High	Low
Alcan	6000	22	20	21	+4	Alcan	6000	22	20
Bank of Montreal	100	10	9	9	-1	Bank of Montreal	100	10	9
Bank of Victoria	100	10	9	9	-1	Bank of Victoria	100	10	9
British Columbia	100	10	9	9	-1	British Columbia	100	10	9
Canada	100	10	9	9	-1	Canada	100	10	9
Canadian Pacific	100	10	9	9	-1	Canadian Pacific	100	10	9
Canadian National	100	10	9	9	-1	Canadian National	100	10	9
Empire	100	10	9	9	-1	Empire	100	10	9
Goldcorp	100	10	9	9	-1	Goldcorp	100	10	9
Granite	100	10	9	9	-1	Granite	100	10	9
Highland	100	10	9	9	-1	Highland	100	10	9
Imperial	100	10	9	9	-1	Imperial	100	10	9
Intercontinental	100	10	9	9	-1	Intercontinental	100	10	9
Northwest	100	10	9	9	-1	Northwest	100	10	9
Quebec	100	10	9	9	-1	Quebec	100	10	9
Shaw	100	10	9	9	-1	Shaw	100	10	9
Union Pacific	100	10	9	9	-1	Union Pacific	100	10	9
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**Gordon Gives His on Monday****Budget Choices Abound**

BY STEWART MACLEOD

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Gordon has more room to manoeuvre in Monday's budget than at any time since he assumed office two years ago.

With the economy booming, but still riddled with regional complexities, economists say there are dozens of moves he could make with some justification.

The minister has had plenty of time this year to weigh all the possibilities and plan his course of action. He set the end of 1964 as the deadline for receiving submissions. Leaving three months for the budget's preparation.

**STEADY GROWTH**

Two years ago, Mr. Gordon hurried his first budget into the government's first "60 days of decision" and later had to back-peddle under fire on some of his measures. Last year he considered it a time to "consolidate our gains and plan for steady growth."

The growth came faster than most expected, however. While Mr. Gordon predicted last year that the Gross National Product value of all goods and services produced would increase by 5½ per cent at prevailing market prices during the 1964 calendar year, it actually shot up by 8.9 per cent. And his predicted budgetary deficit of \$455,000,000 was slashed to \$85,000,000.

**SEEN FORWARD MOTION**  
 In his pre-budget white paper earlier this month, the minister said that while the record gains of 1964 may not be matched this year, the economy "as a whole should move forward to new and higher levels of activity."

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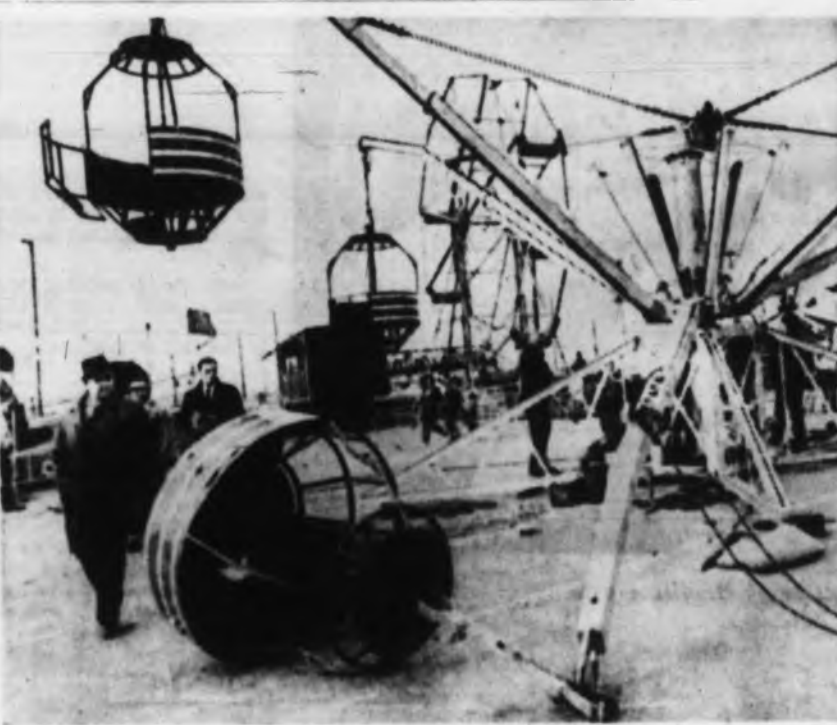
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**Thrill Ride Kills Two**

This was scene at Detroit shopping centre after section of carnival thrill-ride collapsed, dragging passenger bucket around centre pole until machine could be stopped. Brother and sister were killed, three other children critically injured as horrified crowd watched. Victims were aged 14 and 12.—(AP)

**Feigned Marriage****Bizarre Divorce Case Charges Act Forgery**

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two charges of dealing in forged acts of Parliament and one of procuring a feigned marriage were laid Friday against a man as the aftermath of a bizarre divorce case.

Albert Emerson Simpson, 43, was remanded without plea to April 30 on the charges, and released on \$500 bail.

He is charged with dealing with a forged act of Parliament document purportedly signed by George Vanier, Governor-General, annulling Simpson's marriage to Alma Helen Simpson.

**FEIGNED MARRIAGE**

Dealing with a forged act of Parliament, purportedly signed by Governor General Vanier declaring a marriage between Simpson and Christine Adele McLellan.

And procuring a feigned marriage between himself and Christine Adele McLellan.

Police were ordered by Attorney-General Bonner to investigate the case after Miss McLellan won a court declaration Feb. 27 that her marriage to Simpson was never valid.

**PATRIOTIC WORK**  
 Miss McLellan was told Simpson worked for a highly secret national organization doing patriotic work for the country, and could not marry or divorce in the conventional way.

**Stranded Boys Found Alive**

ABBOTSFORD (CP)—Three boys who became stranded on Sumas Mountain near Abbotsford Friday were found alive and well Saturday by searchers. Garry Goddard, Patrick McKinney and Reg Martin, all aged 10 to 12, were the object of an intensive search.

**Going to Gromyko****Russians Purchase \$17,000 Lincoln**

NEW YORK (AP)—The Soviet Union has bought a \$17,000 American limousine—furnished with television and bar—in the name of Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko. It was reported Saturday.

The luxurious vehicle, one of about 70 executive Lincoln Con-

tinents manufactured this year, was loaded in Brooklyn Saturday night aboard the freighter Marmaclyn, sailing for Helsinki and Leningrad.

The New York Times said the purchase was cleared by the U.S. department of commerce and the national security council.

It was not determined for whom use the limousine was purchased. Bills of lading bore an abbreviation meaning "no name," but other shipping papers showed it consigned to the foreign minister of the Soviet Union.

The Times said that Gromyko chose the car after looking at several makes of limousines, beginning some months ago, and that the deal was completed Thursday.

Neither the Amtorg Trading Corporation, Soviet purchasing office here, nor Empire Lincoln Mercury, Inc., the seller, would confirm the transaction, the report added.

An attempt to reach Soviet diplomatic officials here Saturday for comment was unsuccessful.

**Strippers Feel Act Losing Its Artistry**

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah (AP)—The strip tease is losing its artistic entertainment value and becoming "blatantly sexual," a sociologist reports.

The sociologist, Miss Ann Terry d'Andrie, an official of the American Guild of Variety Artists, to which the strippers belong, has appeared as a singer and a comedienne with them.

In a paper she wrote for the Pacific Sociological Association, Miss d'Andrie says:

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"There is little evidence that strippers conform to the popular stereotype of them as quasi-prostitutes . . .

"The strippers suggested that the character of strip-teasing has changed significantly. They claim it has become less artistic and more blatantly sexual.

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# Only the Referees Could See

By BOB PETHICK

In a dimly lit room all that could be heard was the shuffling of cards.

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There wasn't the grim atmosphere of a gambling house, but rather a feeling of kinship which the people playing this particular game were entitled to feel.

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good plays, and congratulate the victors.

The lights were dim because no one needed lights except the referees, who had full sight and kept score.

In the end, Cal Wood of Vancouver beat out champions from the Okanagan, New Westminster, North Vancouver and Victoria.

Since the game was introduced to blind people by Capt. M. C. Robinson in 1950, it has become one of their major pastimes.

The final game between Alberta champion Albert Brandenberg and Mr. Wood was played Saturday with Mr. Brandenberg the victor.

But who won wasn't the most important thing. So far as the players were concerned, they got together and had a ball and that was what really counted.

## Deduct Municipal Taxes John D. Tells Government

CAMBRIDGE, N.S. (CP)—Opposition Leader Diefenbaker said Saturday night the federal government should allow Canadians to deduct municipal taxes from their taxable income.

Mr. Diefenbaker told a meeting of more than 1,000 people in this Annapolis Valley com-

munity that such a move would encourage home building by young Canadians.

He said the government should also abolish the 11 per cent sales tax on building materials.

The opposition leader gave a wide-ranging review of the federal scene. He said the next

general election, as far as he and the Conservative party were concerned, would be fought on the basis of having a united and not a divided Canada.

He also said "I have never courted popularity. I have never claimed indispensability. I don't say that I am always right. But I have never been on the side of wrong."

## U.S. Businessmen Seek Contacts with China

WASHINGTON (AP)—Policy makers of the United States Chamber of Commerce urged Saturday that the administration explore measures "to more effectively open channels of communication with the people of mainland China."

The resolution—in effect, a proposal for first steps toward

a possible easing of the complete embargo on trade with Red China—will be presented to businessmen—delegates to the chamber's 53rd annual convention opening here Monday.

Another pending policy statement proposes the repeal of the "Connally Reservation" of 1948, which limits the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice at the Hague.

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## New Legal Hearing May Free Farmer

TORONTO (UPI)—Fred Fawcett, the 50-year-old Owen Sound farmer who has spent three years in a mental hospital, has a new hope for release.

Fawcett, charged with assaulting a tax assessor, was declared unfit to stand trial because of insanity.

However, Vernon Wilcox, 30, of Toronto was released last week from the Ontario hospital at Aurora after a new legal procedure which will be applied to Fawcett next.

Wilcox who has the mind of a five-year-old, was ruled unfit to stand trial because of insanity on the charge of indecently assaulting a four-year-old girl.

Under the procedure used in his case, a private hearing is held to determine if the evidence against the accused stands up.

Then a recommendation is made to the department of health.

Mr. Justice Carl Stewart of the Ontario supreme court presided over the Wilcox hearing and obtained his release through a confidential report to Minister of Health Matthew Dymond.

**NOT POSSIBLE**

Wilcox could be brought up for trial if he is ever judged sane but because he is an imbecile this is impossible. Mr. Justice Stewart said.

Mr. Justice Stewart suggested the English system of trying mentally retarded patients should be introduced into Canadian law.

"In England, evidence is brought against the accused despite the accused's fitness to stand trial, in order to determine whether the crown has a case or not," he said.

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## Aim Triumphs Over Crosswinds

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (AP)—George

Cumbridge, an Ozark Airlines pilot, fought crosswinds and intermittent rain Saturday to defend successfully his United States tobacco chewing and spinning title.

Cumbridge, St. Louis, edged his closest challenger, Jack Wilson of Jefferson City, Mo., by only two points, 84-86.

"There's not much technique to it," said the airplane commander.

Cumbridge, Wilson and Phil Morkle of St. Louis fought down to the last chew and the last contest—shooting over the head backwards for distance.

The pilot hit 16 feet; and Wilson, 13. Morkle, who scored 79 points, said it was all part of the game after he shot only a foot.

Judged on their power, accuracy and distance, 50 contestants chewed and spat their way through downwind and upwind tests, spitting at a target on a red-hot pot-bellied stove, through the stove door from 12 feet away and at a rubber ball tossed high in the air.

**WOODLAND HILLS, Calif.**—Film star of the silent days Louise Dresser, 84, has died at the Motion Picture Country Hospital here. She had recently undergone surgery for an intestinal obstruction and was believed to be recovering.

**SAN FRANCISCO**—Author of the best-selling novel One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest, Ken Kesey, 29, was one of 14 people arrested at his La Honda home on narcotics charges, following a raid by San Mateo County sheriff's deputies. Kesey and two others were also charged with resisting arrest.

**WICHITA, Kan.**—The president of the Kansas Teen-Age Safety Association, Gene Beatty, 17, of Wichita, was unable to preside at its annual safe-driving conference. Beatty was taken to hospital with a broken nose suffered when his car struck a parked car. Police charged him with careless driving.

**STIRLING, England**—Mrs. Margaret Malley found a recipe for curing baldness while browsing through an old cook book and referred it to her friend Archie Halliday, who is losing his hair. "I'm amazed," he said. "It really works." The magic ingredients are heather seed and nettles.

**HOT SPRINGS, Ark.**—Owen Vincent (Oweny) Madison, prohibition era gangster who ruled by terror in New York and



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New Jersey, has died here at 73. In his retirement he was next-door neighbor to the chief of police and a generous contributor to charities.

**LOS ANGELES**—Betty Haddock, 54, Burbank, Calif., was awarded \$5,000 because a veterinarian returned someone else's cat to her instead of her own. She sued the veterinarian after she said the cat chased her around the house and bit her twice.

**LIVINGSTONE, Zambia**—A large kudu buck leaped from the bush at the roadside onto the hood of a car and crashed through the windshield, killing Helen Spencer of Victoria Falls. Her husband, driving, and their two children, in the rear seat, were unhurt.

**VANCOUVER**—In March, 1964, Brian McKenna, 17, a bellboy on the British liner Oriana found a \$100 bill fluttering along the deck. He turned it

in, later learned it had been lost by San Francisco millionaire I. H. Foster—who gave Brian a \$25 reward. The Oriana is again bound for San Francisco, and Brian has an invitation to visit the Foster family during the ship's 30-hour lay-over.

**LONDON**—Lord Miva, former chairman of Rolls-Royce, has died here after being in a coma for more than two years following a stroke. He was 79.

**LOS ANGELES**—Orchestra leader Nipha Jones and his wife, Helen Grayco, are the defendants in a \$12,985 damage suit filed by an interior decorator. The action, filed in superior court Friday by decorator Dean R. Kukul, charges that he was never fully paid for work he did in the couple's Beverly Hills home in the summer of 1963.

**VENICE, Calif.**—Police say a former electronics man booby-trapped a cigarette lighter that exploded when a small boy found it. The youngster, Robert Cape, 7, lost three fingers from one hand when he flicked the lighter to see if it would work. Booked on suspicion of attempted murder Friday was Henry A. McMurdo, 36.

**LONDON**—Sir William Bull, owner of eight seaside holiday camps in Britain, has bought Witleyham Moor near Bagshot Surrey, the home of Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip for two years after their marriage in 1947. Reported price was \$259,500.

## Bilingualism Alarms B.C. Orange Lodge

The Grand Orange Lodge of B.C. "views with alarm" the importance attached to bilingualism and biculturalism.

At the lodge's 75th annual meeting in Victoria Saturday members resolved that they are "diametrically opposed to any change or amendment to the British North America Act to extend the use of the French language beyond its present legal boundaries."

Lodge members supported Bible-reading and the recitation of the Lord's Prayer in B.C. schools.

They also supported a proposed B.C. flag with the Union Jack in one corner and the coat of arms of B.C. on a red background.

The lodge re-elected W. E. Lester, Vancouver, provincial grand master.

Other officers are: E. J. Acheson, Vancouver, deputy grand master; Robert Dailey, Port Alberni, junior deputy grand master; Rev. Harry Berry, White Rock, chaplain; R. D. Jones, Burnaby, grand secretary; H. L. Gregg, Vancouver, grand treasurer; W. L. Bell, Abbotsford, Harold Stubbs, Vancouver, grand lecturers; Fred Martin, Victoria, grand marshal; J. H. Ferguson, North Vancouver, and R. A. Rickaby, Vancouver, grand auditors; John Humphries, Victoria, grand secretary, and Charles Carr, Vancouver, grand pianist.

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## Ontario Man Drowns in B.C.

PRINCE RUPERT (CP)—Arthur Witke, 25, identified as a native of Ontario, drowned Thursday when his rented skiff overturned in the rough waters of Prince Rupert harbor.

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# Village Seeks Island Children

Application forms are available for 11-year-old boys and girls from Vancouver Island who would like to join 36 others from various countries July 15-Aug. 15 for the Children's International Summer Village at Brentwood College.

The address for applications and a brochure giving details of the Village is Box 882, Victoria.

Two boys and two girls will be chosen by the local CISV child selection committee in cooperation with recommendations

from Vancouver Island elementary school principals.

"An experiment in international relations — junior style," is the way Island chairman Mrs. John Fraser, 1210 Tattersall Drive, describes the project.

Four children, accompanied by an adult counsellor, will come to the College from each of Guatemala, Denmark, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Norway, the Philippines, the United States — and one other country still to be named.

Since 1951, 67 such Villages have been held throughout the world.

One of these, at Newcastle, England, is the subject of a film called The Magic Castle. It will be shown in Shawnigan Lake Community Hall at 8 p.m. May 6.

"This is the first booking for the Island. Any other groups who would like us to present the film and distribute brochures and application forms is asked to write c/o Box 882," Mrs. Fraser said.

The chairman also invites interested citizens to a meeting of the committee at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the board room of Spencerhouse, 1951 Cook Street.

Not only are many workers needed but dollars as well.

Transportation costs are paid by the home organizations, but the operation of the camp is the responsibility of the host organization. For Vancouver Island this will mean an expenditure of \$8,000.

"Seven dollars will keep one child in the camp for one day," said Mrs. Fraser, who announced that a number of donations and pledges have already been received.

Metropolitan United Church Women have sent in \$25. The Victoria branch, World Federalists of Canada, has pledged a donation of 10 per cent of the proceeds from their May 23 fashion show to be held at Woodwyn Farm, Saanich.

Proceeds from a concert in the Art Gallery July 10 with Adele Goult Lewis, lyric soprano, and Joan Creighton Bulmer, pianist, will go to the CISV.

## North Saanich Shuns Haste Despite Financial Savings

By JAMES BRAHAN

North Saanich would gain financially if incorporated by July 1, but the joint council of ratepayers refuses to be hurried into incorporation, says chairman Dr. Arthur B. Nash.

"We will not waste any time, but we are definitely not going to proceed with any undue haste either," he said.

If incorporation takes place before July 1, North Saanich will either be paid in cash or receivables next January the full amount of general taxes levied by the province in that area during 1965, according to C. H. L. Woodward of the municipal affairs department.

If incorporated after July 1, the city until Monday an amount half this amount will be received.

Dr. Nash has written Municipal Affairs Minister Campbell outlining the results of a public meeting of ratepayers last Wednesday, and requested a meeting to learn the best way to effect incorporation.

"The minister will be out of the city until Monday an amount half this amount will be received."

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Jubilant Portland club, coach Laycoe (right) celebrate with Patrick Cup

## But Pilous, Most Players Just Maybe

# Maple Leafs Back Next Year

By JIM TANG

Portland Buckaroos last night dropped the curtain on Victoria's return to the Western Hockey League net, but barring unexpected developments at the league meeting in Seattle May 10 and 11, the Maple Leafs will be back for an encore next October—back, with a considerably changed cast and, almost certainly, with a new ice director.

As the WHL closed down for the summer last night at Memorial Arena it appeared certain that it would carry on next season with the same six clubs.

Although something thoroughly unexpected, such as an unlikely speedup of National Hockey League expansion plans, a just as unlikely decision of the WHL to declare itself a second season or a bid from another suitable city for a WHL franchise, could crop up at the WHL meeting, Victoria is in for next season as of now.

### On Record

Stafford Smythe, president of the Toronto Maple Leafs, is already on record with the statement that his club is willing to sponsor a Victoria club next season and preliminary schedule for next season has the Victoria club playing home games on Saturdays, primarily, and Wednesday nights.

"We have hopes of getting as many as 25 Saturday night dates next season," Victoria manager Buck Houle says. "Our other home games will be on Wednesday nights. We think Wednesday will prove more popular with Victoria fans than Tuesday nights."

Houle would not speculate on what personnel might be made available for the second edition of the Victoria Maple Leafs but it is obvious that there will be many changes. Probably no more than six or seven of the 17 players currently on the roster will be wearing the Victoria maple leaf next season. It could even be fewer.

### Fairly Certain

Fairly certain to be missing are three of the five defencemen. Bill Shvetz will be 35 before the next training camp opens. Claude Labrosse is expected to be playing next season in the American Hockey League and Bob Taylor will likely get a chance to gain needed experience in a lower classification.

Fred Hucl has reportedly planned to make this his last professional season, but he has at least two good seasons left and a chance to be a playing coach somewhere might alter his thinking.

At least four forwards can be reasonably counted among the missing for next season as far as Victoria is concerned.

One has to presume that this was the last time around for 36-year-old Steve Whitak and Ed Mazur, who'll be 36 in July. Danny Belisle goes back to the New York Ranger organization and Larry Keenan can no longer be denied a full chance to make it with the parent club. And even if Keenan doesn't quite make it, the chances are he'll be kept handy in Rochester.

Rollie Wilcox, Dick Lamoureux and Ed Ehrenverth can be listed as doubtful possibilities to return.

Wilcox, who got 20 goals in

his first professional season, would be welcomed back by fans but the popular rookie fits the specifications for the Toronto farm club at Tulsa in the Central League because of his age. Lamoureux and Ehrenverth, utility players this season, would have to show WHL abilities in training camp to return.

That leaves goalkeeper Al Miller, defencemen Sandy Hucl and forwards John Slevner, Lou Jankowski, Milan Marcella and Gordie Redahl around whom to build a new team. And it's more than likely that a trade or an organization switching could cut the nucleus even more.

Nor are the changes likely to end with the playing personnel. Houle can be expected to return as manager if there is a Victoria club, but it is extremely unlikely that Victorians will get to enjoy coach Rudy Pilous for more than the one season.

### Odds Against

Pilous has understandably been non-committal about the possibility of returning to Victoria but the odds would seem strictly against it—unless, of course, the offer was too attractive to refuse in the way of assured playing talent as well as salary.

"I don't know," Pilous said last night in answer to a direct question, "and I'm not one to say I won't be back until I know what is in store for me."

Pilous said that he was due to meet with Punch Imlach, manager-coach of the Toronto club, within the next two weeks. A decision could be made at that time.

"We will go over the players I have watched to evaluate them and then I'll find out what they have in the way of plans for me. I have had feelers from two or three other clubs but each time I have told them that they should see the Toronto club. They are my employers and I won't make any move until I have discussed it with them."

Pilous said that, if possible, he would prefer to get a job closer to his home in St. Catharines but didn't discount the possibility of another season in Victoria.

### Did Good Job

"Before I come back, though, I would expect to have the assurance of a full complement of players in training camp and a better selection from the main Toronto camp. I can tell you this, however, I have made many friends here and I've enjoyed my stay in Victoria. Most of my players played as well as they could and I think that we did a good job to get as far as we did."

Houle, who also could not say whether or not he would be back, also looked back on the season with some satisfaction. "We were a bit disappointed in the attendance but we realize we walked cold into a bad hockey image," he said.

"I think we made great progress in erasing that image and I feel that another season with the Toronto club assuring more co-operation we can provide more crowd-pleasing hockey and gain even more support. I've enjoyed the experience and my first year in Victoria."

## Chance Keeps String Going Against New York Yankees

Dean Chance of the Los Angeles Angels, winner of the Cy Young award in 1964, seems to be taking up right where he left off at the end of last season — at the expense of the New York Yankees.

Chance pitched the Angels to an easy 6-3 victory over the Yankees at New York Saturday.

The Angels backed their golden-armed right-hander with a 14-hit attack that included a total of six hits by rookies Jose Cardenal, Paul Schaal and Costen Shockley.

Meanwhile across the country, another New York team, the Mets, won their second straight game in San Francisco over the Giants, 7-6.

Rookie pinch-hitter Danny Napoleon came through for the Mets with a bases-loaded triple in the ninth inning that spelled victory for the men of Casey Stengel.

First baseman Ed Kranepool, 20, blasted two home runs for

mighty Yanks again Saturday. Chance allowed the one-potential Yankees just six hits, and New York didn't score a run until the bottom of the eighth inning, with the first tally coming on an accidental balk by Chance.

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New York to keep his batting average around the .450 mark. Elsewhere, the Minnesota Twins dropped a 7-4 decision to the Tigers at Detroit, but still managed to hang on to first place in the junior circuit ahead of the Chicago White Sox, who defeated the Senators, 6-2, at Washington.

A three-run homer in the bottom of the ninth inning by Gates Brown gave the Tigers the win over the Twins. Willie Horton also homered in the ninth for Detroit.

A second-half rally by the Victoria and District Soccer All-Stars fell short by a single goal Saturday afternoon as the Vancouver Mainland All-Stars took a 3-2 victory at Royal Athletic Park.

Vancouver now takes a one-goal lead in the second game of the two-game total-goal series for the Russell Cup. Second game will be played next Sunday at Vancouver.

The visitors took a commanding 3-0 lead in the first half, but were completely outclassed by the hustling home team over the final 45 minutes.

Bob McKay, Bob Babcock and Bob Elliott scored for the Vancouver All-Stars, while Volker Stoldt and Allan Metcalf replied for the homeers.

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# Portland Wins Patrick Cup With Shutout

## Leafs Finally Succumb

Victoria's almost-impossibly erratic Maple Leafs couldn't quite do it again last night at Memorial Arena but they wrote a fine finish to a season which their great comebacks made so interestingly unpredictable.

Up against the league champions with the knowledge they had to win three in a row for the second time in the Western Hockey League playoffs, they gave Portland Buckaroos a rousing argument before bowing out, 3-0, in the fifth game of the best-of-seven final.

But it was closer than the next pulse beat as the Buckaroos, who have finished first three times and second twice in their five WHL seasons, won the Lester Patrick Cup for the second time.

A first-period goal somewhat against the run of the play, an early third-period goal while rookie defenceman Jack Chipchase served a dubious penalty and a shot into an open net late in the game were too much against a deserving Portland club which last night again got great goading from Don Head.

But the finale went down as perhaps the best hockey game of the season. There was great goading at both ends, hard skating and dogged checking which dulled but could not stop the offensive thrusting of both clubs.

Never at any time, although they slowed for part of the second period and needed some brilliant puck-blocking by Al Miller to stay close, did the Leafs quit in their effort to send the series back to Portland for a sixth game.

They kept coming but when it was all over, it was probably the first six minutes which decided the outcome. They failed to score through a combination of Head's alertness and a bit of bad luck and then, just 16 seconds after a near miss, found Portland with that important first goal.

Best early chances came when Doug Messier drew a Portland penalty. Gordie Redahl, neatly put through by John Slevner, missed the net on the first one then had Mike Donaldson drop in front of his second chance.

Less than two minutes later, Head grabbed Steve Witluk's close-in try and the Buckaroos scored on the next rush—a well-taken but somewhat fortunate goal.

A Buckaroo fanned on a shot from the left side and the puck lay loose just for a second. Cliff Schmautz was there first, and he gave Miller little chance with a quick shot to the short side.

Before the period was over, Head had robbed Dick Lamoureux and Danny Belisle and early in the second period somehow got a skate on a quick shot by penalty-killer Lou Jankowski.

For the next 10 minutes, the Buckaroos took over and Miller was brilliant on three shots, particularly on a try by Gerry Goyer, who had his stick raised after getting a chance from the side. But Miller got to the puck with something before it crossed the line.

**STEADY JOB**  
The Leafs were back in stride when Chipchase, who replaced Bill Shvetz as a regular last night and turned in a steady job, got a penalty in the last minute of the period.

Slashed by Arnie Schmautz, who then held his stick, Chipchase was thumbed off for high-sticking when referee Bruce Hood saw him irritably dump the pesky Portland veteran.

No damage was done until the third period opened, then Gerry Goyer whipped one by Miller after being neatly set up on a power-play effort.

And that was the way it stayed until coach Rudy Pilous yanked Miller in that last desperate effort to get close with six attackers. Goyer hit the open net at 18:38 and league-president Al Leader headed for the ice surface to present the cup to Portland captain Art Jones.

**CAME CLOSE**  
But before Goyer's second goal, the Leafs had several times come close to getting within one goal and wrecking Head's bid for a third playoff shutout.

Head was spectacular in blocking Larry Keenan's smoking shot at seven minutes and steady the rest of the way as he went on to set a new league playoff record.

The burly veteran allowed only 13 goals in his nine playoff games for a 1.44 goals-against average to emerge as perhaps the top star of a Portland club which clearly deserved its sweep of league honors.

Sharing the Portland spotlight were the sometimes under-rated Goyer, who came out of the playoffs as the top point man with seven goals and eight assists; Andy Heberton, who had seven goals and six assists to cap a successful return to the WHL, and Art Jones, who set up nine goals and scored three.

For the Leafs, who surprised most by getting into the playoffs and then amazed many by going to the final, Miller was outstanding in the 10 games he played and Slevner led the scoring with three goals and six assists.

**FIRST PERIOD**  
Portland, C. Schmautz (Van Impe, Jones) 6-15.  
Penalties—Messier (P) 2:42, Louch (P), G. Head (V) 6:25, Elliot (P) 12:34.

**SECOND PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Donaldson (P) 1:35, S. Head (V) 3:17, Messier (P), Witluk (V) 13:27, Chipchase (V) 19:42.

**THIRD PERIOD**  
Portland, Goyer (Heberton, Schmautz) 3-0.  
Penalties—Goyer (McVie) 18:38.  
Shots—Portland 27, Vancouver 13.  
Goalkeeping—Goyer 17-23.  
Attendance 4,697.

## 'Fantastic Team'

Amid the bedlam of the Portland dressing room coach Hal Laycoe beamed like a baby with his first toy.

"Fantastic hockey team" was his description of the club that won 22 games on the road during the regular season and didn't lose a playoff game away from home.

"Do you realize we beat Vancouver in a five-game playoff and their fans never saw them score a goal," said Laycoe.

**HARD TO BELIEVE**  
"Head only allowed three goals against the Leafs on their home ice and that makes his record away from home hard to believe."

Laycoe had special praise for the work of Jones. "He's the best centre in the league," he said. "He missed the league scoring title by only two points even though I use him as a penalty killer."

**TAKES CUP**  
"Yet he wasn't even picked for the first or second all-star teams. But I made up for that by sending him out there to accept that championship cup tonight."

Pilous paid tribute to the Portland club.

"They played real tight hockey and took advantage of the breaks when they came," he said. "The Leafs have nothing to be ashamed of. They came away back to whip Seattle and gave it their best try in the final, but it just wasn't enough."

Questioned as to his plans for next season, Laycoe smiled: "I'll be right back in Portland. It's the best hockey town on the continent and I'll be there until they build a better one."

## Vancouver Soccer Stars Turn Back Victorians, 3-2

A second-half rally by the Victoria and District Soccer All-Stars fell short by a single goal Saturday afternoon as the Vancouver Mainland All-Stars took a 3-2 victory at Royal Athletic Park.

Vancouver now takes a one-goal lead in the second game of the two-game total-goal series for the Russell Cup. Second game will be played next Sunday at Vancouver.

The visitors took a commanding 3-0 lead in the first half, but were completely outclassed by the hustling home team over the final 45 minutes.

Bob McKay, Bob Babcock and Bob Elliott scored for the Vancouver All-Stars, while Volker Stoldt and Allan Metcalf replied for the homeers.

McKay opened the scoring at

the 13-minute mark on a penalty shot that was disputed by Victoria, but to no avail.

Just a minute later, Babcock sent Vancouver into a two-goal lead on a three-way passing play. At the 35-minute mark, Elliott completed the Vancouver scoring.

The Victoria District All-Stars came back on the field

for the second in a determined mood.

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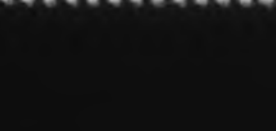
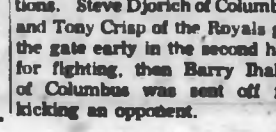
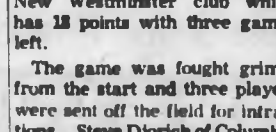
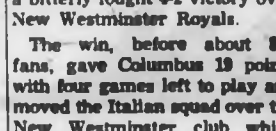
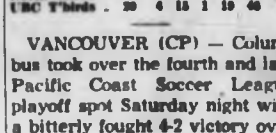
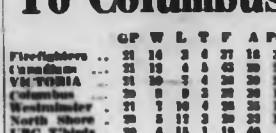
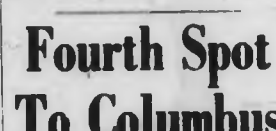
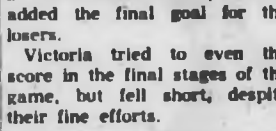
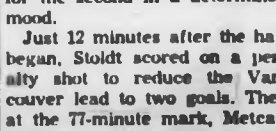
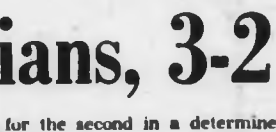
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## OUTDOORS

with Alec Merriman

In 1964 salmon sports fishermen took only 4.7 per cent of the combined sports and commercial catch of springs and coho, but 92.5 per cent of that sports catch came from the protected waters between Vancouver Island and the mainland.

Commercial fishermen took only 8.5 per cent of their total catch from these same waters, an observation which lends plenty of weight to suggestions by sports fishermen that the whole Gulf of Georgia should be reserved for sports fishing only.

These calculations come from the just-released federal fisheries statistics on salmon sport fishing for 1964.

The fisheries department acknowledges these statistics are partly guessimates, compiled from regular checking and they say they are on the conservative side. In the main, a quick comparison shows trends shown by the fisheries figures parallel fairly closely those shown by King Fishermen Contest statistics.

The fisheries statistics indicate sports fishermen caught 250,900 springs, jacks and coho, including grise, compared to a total commercial catch of 5,114,000.

Sports fishermen caught 42,000 springs and jacks, 98,200 coho and 110,500 grise.

Commercial fishermen caught 965,300 springs and jacks and 4,148,800 coho.

The report notes that the bulk of the commercial catch was taken in areas, and from stocks, which are not readily accessible or available to the sport fishery.

From the east coast of the Island and around to Sooke and Port Renfrew 26.8 per cent of the catch of 152,000 springs was by sports fishermen, 61 per cent by commercial troll and 12.2 per cent by commercial net.

In the same waters 21.2 per cent of 804,000 coho was taken by sports fishermen, 37 per cent by commercial troll and 41.8 per cent by commercial nets.

But on the west coast and northern Vancouver Island commercial trollers took 92.9 per cent of 396,000 springs and 92.8 per cent of 1,608,000 coho.

Of interest to the latter two considerations that 1964 was not a pink salmon year in west coast waters, so there wasn't as heavy a concentration of the net fleet in Juan de Fuca Strait.

The estimated 98,200 sports coho was the third highest in the last 12 years. The catch of 42,000 spring salmon was down compared with 1963 with 52,325 and 1962 with 55,950. So was the catch of 110,500 grise, compared with 130,250 in 1963 and 230,800 in 1958.

Weather conditions with abnormal wind and rain and lack of sunshine had its effect on fishing pressure.

For the first time since sport fish effort estimates were published in 1960 a decline was shown. An estimated 216,090 boat days of sport effort was carried out during 1964, compared with 288,525 in 1963, and 223,481 in 1962.

Most heavily fished area was the Saanich Inlet to Sooke waters with 54,110 boat days for a 1.47 catch success of salmon and grise a boat a day, in a proportion of .51 salmon and .96 grise, totalling 51,750 grise and 27,900 salmon, including 5,350 springs, 9,850 jack springs, 12,550 coho.

In Comox-Courtenay waters which stretch from Shelter Point to Northwest Bay 39,310 boat days were recorded for a success of 1.14 fish a boat a day recorded, 85 salmon and .49 grise, for 18,800 grise and 24,625 salmon. In Campbell River waters 32,575 boat days were recorded for 1.21 success at 12 grise and 1.21 salmon, for 39,300 salmon and 3,850 grise. Highest catch per day came from Nanaimo waters with 2.01 fish a day for 11,120 boat days, .64 salmon and 1.57 grise, for 15,250 grise and 7,100 salmon.

Cowichan Bay had 13,565 boat days for 10,600 salmon and 4,430 grise.

Campbell River waters with 34,775 coho recorded for 1964 had 111 per cent better coho fishing than the 1953-63 average of 16,493 coho, but its spring salmon fishing was down -5 per cent. It was a new Campbell River coho record, with previous high 11,690 in 1963.

Victoria-Saanich spring salmon fishing was up 18 per cent and its coho fishing up 41 per cent. Cowichan Bay spring salmon fishing was down -44 per cent but its coho fishing was up 84 per cent over the 1953-63 average. Comox-Courtenay was down -57 for spring salmon and down -22 per cent for coho.

## Jacky Cupit Leads Texas Golf Tourney

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP)—Jacky Cupit shot a six-under-par 64 Saturday to take a two-stroke lead after 54 holes of the \$50,000 Texas Open Golf Tournament.

Cupit dropped seven birdies and got into trouble only once over the par 35-35 70 Oak Hills Country Club course. He posted earlier rounds of 66 and 65. Frank Beard carded a 65 to move from a tie for seventh into second place at 22. Tied for third at 20 were Jack Rul Jr., a par round to come in with a with rounds of 67-68-67; Johnny Pott, 70-67-66, and Bert Weaver, 65-68-69.

## DiMag Famous Thanks to Lefty

VANCOUVER (CP)—Lefty Gomez, former New York Yankee left-hander, says jokingly his pitching made Joe DiMaggio famous.

"They never knew he could get back under a fly ball like that until I started pitching. It took me years to see his face. All I ever saw was the number on the back of his uniform."

This was part of the banter Thursday between Gomez and reporters at a

## Stampeders Sign Two

CALGARY (CP)—Calgary Stampeders of the Western Football Conference have announced the signing of import end Pete Manning and Canadian centre Dale Parsons for the 1965 season.

Manning, 27, came to the Stampeders from Chicago Bears in 1962 and has been a starting offensive end since then.

Parsons, 30, will be in his sixth season with the Stampeders after playing for four years with Saskatchewan Roughriders.

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## Young and Old in Bowling

Lawn bowlers come in all ages. Tom Weekes, 89, and Grant Clegg, 15, were on hand for Burnside Lawn Bowling Club's opener. On hand, pointing to other end of green, is city sportsman and coach Archie McKinnon.—(William Boucher)

## Rain Check in Cooperstown

# It's 1975. Remember Baseball?

By RICK DU BROW

HOLLYWOOD (CP)—The year is 1975, and television is marking the 10th anniversary of its Saturday afternoon baseball games that are not blacked out in major league cities. We are speaking to you today from the convertible stadium that has become the studio for these games, which are beloved as the favorite program of sports fans everywhere: "The Wonderful World of Baseball."

Baseball has undergone several changes since those pioneer days of 1965. As you may recall, television was wondering at that time how to work out a dependable, precisely programmed weekly schedule for such an unpredictable, unrestricted open-end sport. There was nothing commercial-minded about this — television was simply trying to help out the fans who, according to experts, didn't mind a game that lasted exactly two hours but were extremely unhappy and upset if it lasted two hours and nine minutes.

Well, as you know, the first thing that happened was that baseball was no longer divided into innings, but rather "quarters" which last 15 minutes each. This provided a general time limit within which television could operate. Play is still continuous, but if a contest ends as a tie, it stays that way. Furthermore, to cut down on the amount of time wasted by allowing a hitter four balls or three strikes, he now gets only four pitches as a maximum, and they are called "downs." If he cannot hit safely within four downs, the other team comes to bat. This is how offence and defence take turns. It is a little complicated, but no game has ever run more than two hours, including timeouts and halftime show.

Baseball is more exciting than it ever was in 1965. As television suggested, there are now games only on weekends, which means that each team needs only two or three pitchers and a dozen or so other players. And what with the contests available everywhere on television, spectators were eliminated from actually being present during the shooting at the studio so that potential exciting moments could be worked up live-on-tape by the director without interference. Occasionally during a game, a visitor is allowed on the set to see how it's done.

KEEN IDEAS

Some other innovations have been successful, too. For example, there have been several times when, instead of showing the game straight through, it was divided into two one-hour segments and presented on Saturday and Sunday to provide a continuing story. On another

occasion, a pitcher had words with his manager, walked out, disappeared and has become known as "The Fugitive," with fans wondering from one week to the next whether he will return. In addition, the idea of limiting the age of players to 19 at most has served to win the attention and enthusiasm of the important young audience.

SOMETHING NEW

You may have noticed that I referred to the studio earlier as a convertible stadium. Well, this place was thought up when people were still attending games, and every team had a

domed stadium, and the audience wanted something new and exciting (television said the fans found baseball boring because all the parks were domed). Well, they built this, and some say it is the ninth wonder of the world.

On the top, for instance, when the dome is closed, there are various pieces of scenery that can be shifted on and off, to add drama for the viewer. There is a big cloud with a silver lining, and a backdrop bright with sunshine, and even a stormy setting which is sometimes used in conjunction with a vast sprinkler system to give off the reality

of a bit of rain now and then. Actually, the convertible top is opened mostly for other events in the stadium rather than for baseball, because the players have got used to performing indoors with air-conditioning and dependable artificial grass. One day the top was opened during a game, and three players fainted from fresh air.

The saddest occasion occurred, of course, when the last fan was dragged from his seat at a game. He shouted: "I like it here, I don't care if I kill another 15 or 20 minutes at a game. I don't have anything special to do."

## Five Sooke Bowlers Corner Junior Event

Five young bowlers from Sooke Rainbow Lanes — Stu Smith, Selma Michelson, Rick Heathman, Darla Banner and Dan Wade — won the Junior-Senior Division of the first City Junior-Tenpin Tournament Saturday at Mayfair Lanes.

The triumphant five combined for a total pin fall of 3,044 in winning the title over 15 other

entries. All participants rolled with handicaps.

Bowling with the second-largest handicap, 1,835, the winners were 164 pins in front of Pepsi Cola.

Pepsi finished at 2,880, while Sooke Super Market was third at 2,828, Red's Motel fourth at 2,817 and Bel Air Cabinet fifth at 2,782.

Smith rolled the highest series for the winners, 452. Miss Michelson was 390, Heathman 360, Banner 424 and Wade 383. In the Bantam Division, Luscombe's Little Divers proved to be big bowlers as they came home in first place with a total of 2,287 pins.

Roy's Trophies were second and Elizabeth Heas the girls' at 2,261. Noonan's Pin It's third high three (355).

at 2,216, and G-Men of Big Bad John fourth at 2,211.

The Little Divers were paced by Susan Reed's 321 triple. Kenny Armour had 258, Lynn Coward 281, Neil Aune 288 and Cindy Miller 313.

In the Junior-Senior Division, Alan Martin rolled the high boys' single (155) and Miss Banner the high girls' single, while in the Bantam Division, Bob Wheeler had the boys' high single (151) and Holly Hansen the girls' high single (144).

Don George had the Junior-Senior boys' high three (518), Gail Jackson had the girls' high three (419), Colin Barnes the Bantam boys' high three (391) and Elizabeth Heas the girls' at 2,261. Noonan's Pin It's third high three (355).

## Canadian Ski Ace Winner

NORDEN, Calif. (AP)—Oregon State senior Jean Saubert and Canada's Rod Hebrun skied to victory in the second annual Buddy Werner Memorial Slalom over the sun-drenched slopes at Sugar Bowl near Norden Saturday.

Miss Saubert, a United States Olympic Games veteran, beat 15-year-old Cathy Allen of San Pedro, Calif., by a scant 9-10ths of a second in over-all time.

Philippe Molard of France was second with Peter Duncan, Canada's slalom ace, finishing third.

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The Board of Directors of Growers' Wine Company Limited of Victoria and Vancouver has elected Ernest C. Warner as Chairman of the Board and Brian H. Roberts, C.A. as President and Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Warner, formerly president of the company, is widely known in industrial and financial circles in Canada. Mr. Roberts joined the company in 1956 as General Manager, was elected a Director in 1960 and Senior Vice-President in 1964. His background of 23 years experience in the wine industry is international and he is well-known in this field from coast to coast in Canada.

# Hawks, Canadiens Have At It Tonight

CHICAGO (UPI)—The healthy Montreal Canadiens and the convalescing Chicago Black Hawks clash tonight in the fourth game of the Stanley Cup finals.

Montreal leads 2-1 in the best-of-seven series. The fifth game will be played in Montreal Tuesday, and the sixth, if necessary, will be played in the Chicago Stadium Thursday night.

Chicago coach Billy Reay, besides keeping a close eye on all-

Hawk offense is sputtering a bit. As Bobby Hull does not have one goal in the Montreal

series and Stan Mikita is not much better.

The three days of rest since Chicago's first victory Thursday night are of special help to the heroes of that win, Wharmham and Pilote. Both needed the time for more recuperation.

Pilote was back in hospital Saturday and spokesmen said they did not know when he would be released. Presumably it would be like Thursday night when he got a shot of dimethyl sulfoxide just before game time and then went on the ice to spark the Hawks.

Pilote suffered a shoulder separation against Detroit in the seven-game semi-finals.

Wharmham banged his knees against Detroit and it appeared doubtful he would play Thursday night. But play he did, scoring a "picture" winning goal. He suffered no ill effects during the game and said he would be ready for tonight.

Montreal coach Toe Blake had no injury problems. He laughed about a rumor that rippled around Montreal Thursday that Jean Beliveau broke his leg in a car accident.

"They must be getting jittery up there," he said.

Blake said after the game that he never expected to win the Stanley Cup in four games straight.

"But now that we can't,"

Blake said, "I hope we can win the next two straight."

## Navy Golf To Pumfrey

Ray Pumfrey of HMCS Naden recorded the low gross Thursday at the Royal Canadian Navy's monthly inter-ship golf tournament.

Pumfrey fired a 79. Shipmate Art Chamberlain won the low net with a 68.

Naden won the team race, with HMCS Sussexvale second and HMCS Dockyard third.

Meet a sensational new sailer just recently arrived in Canada from Britain, and a star at the recent Boat Show...

You might say I drafted him from the Central Pro League," Murphy said, referring to the fact the stadium received the watchdog from its St. Louis farm club. "I don't know who we gave them in return."

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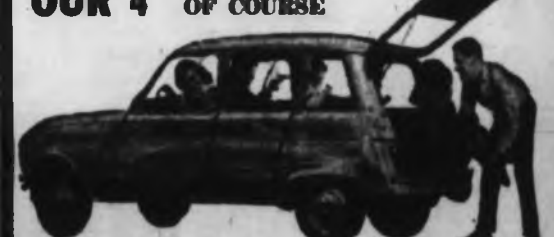
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# Chelsea Drops from Race Weakened Club Beaten, 6-2

LONDON (Reuters) — Fielding virtually a reserve team Leeds United and Manchester United after the mid-week suspension of the English League Cup final. Chelsea, which beat the other two clubs in the English League Cup final, Saturday after a 6-2 defeat by Burnley.



Noble Scott Kirkpatrick

General Chairman Noble Scott Kirkpatrick, who is busy completing arrangements for more than 2,500 Shriners and their wives, who will be attending the Victoria Garden City Shrine Pageant May 6, 7, 8. There will be bands, drill teams, motorized units and novelty units from Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Alberta and British Columbia.

The title now lies between the final minutes of a United-dominated match. Leeds led only 1-0 over Sheffield United at half time, with a goal by Jim Storr. The pace increased after the intermission with Bill Bremner and Alan Preece ensuring the vital points.

Chelsea, with one match more has 56 points. The eight Chelsea players ruled out of the club's last two league games by manager Tommy Docherty for disobeying a curfew rule watched glumly from the stand at Burnley as Chelsea slumped to defeat. They were flown to Burnley by a television company.

**SCORES FIVE GOALS**  
Burnley inside right Andrew Luchford slammed in five goals and centre forward Bill Irvine got the other one as Chelsea's young players cracked in the heat and pace of the match. A Burnley newcomer, 19-year-old centre half Dave Merrington, played a much better game in his first senior match than the Chelsea youngsters.

Chelsea's goals came from Ron Harris and Peter Houseman.

**STRONG CHANCE**  
Dennis Law, Manchester United's Scottish international inside left, got two of the goals which gave the team victory over Liverpool and a serious favorite's chance of winning the league title. English international outside right, John Connolly, rammed in the third in

the final minutes of a United-dominated match.

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**DIVISION CHAMPS**  
Newcastle United won the Second Division championship by tying 0-0 with Manchester City. Bristol City gained promotion from the Third Division with a 2-0 win over Oldham Athletic. Swansea's 3-0 defeat at Coventry dashed its relegation from the Second Division.

Luton Town's avalanche 8-1 defeat by Scunthorpe United in the Third Division means it will accompany Colchester United, Port Vale and Barnsley into the Fourth Division next season.

Barry Thomas drove in five of them in three minutes. The clubs already destined for relegation from the First Division found belated form Saturday. Wolverhampton Wanderers won 2-0 on Nottingham Forest's ground, where only three other clubs have won this

season. Birmingham shared 10 goals with Blackburn Rovers in a thrilling tie.

While Celtic was equalling Rangers' record of 18 Scottish Cups with a 3-2 victory over Dunfermline in the final, Kilmarnock snatched the Scottish League championship from Hearts.

The clubs met on Hearts' ground in their final match of the season, with Kilmarnock needing to win by two goals to take the championship. Goals by Sneddon in the 27th minute and McIlroy two minutes later gave the team a 2-0 win and the league title for the first time in its history.

Kilmarnock will be playing in the European Cup next season, but not under the management of Willie Waddell, who brought it to the league championship triumph. This is his last season as Kilmarnock manager.

Kilmarnock and Hearts both finished with 50 points from their 34 matches, but Kilmarnock's goal record was fractionally better than that of Hearts.

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For Canada

Professional Paul Willey has been chosen to coach Canada's Davis Cup team in its June 4-6 match against United States at Bakersfield, Calif.

## Favorite Captures Vancouver Stake

VANCOUVER (CP) — Favored at the new \$2,000,000 plant, the Royal Start came charging through the stretch to win the featured Inaugural Handicap Saturday at Exhibition Park.

Ridden by Frank Inda, top jockey last year, Royal Start beat Major Magic by a head. This is True finished third.

Royal Start was fourth when the field of seven hit the stretch and under Inda's strong rating charged on the outside to nip Major Magic, who had set the pace throughout. Major Magic finished 2 1/2 lengths in front of This Is True.

The winner, who went to the post at 5-10 odds, returned \$5.10 \$3.10 and \$2.40. Major Magic paid \$3.60 and \$2.90. This Is True paid \$3.

Royal Start ran the six-furlong distance over a sloppy track in 1:13.45.

A crowd of 7,346 saw the day's eight races and wagered \$218,390, up \$36,000 over the corresponding day last year.

In the first two days of racing

## Picking Derby Tough

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — The Kentucky Derby, steeped in the lore of thoroughbred racing, will be run at sprawling Churchill Downs Saturday with the probable winner as much a question mark as any time in the previous 90 renewals of 1 1/4-mile classic for three-year-olds.

As many as 12 are likely to parade before the 100,000 fans and it is no trouble at all to find a talking point for at least nine of them.

Heading into the final feverish week of preparation, Bold Lad, the 1964 two-year-old champion from Mrs. H. C. Phipps' Wheatley Stable, and Mrs. Ada L. Rice's Lucky Debonair, winner of the Santa Anita Derby and the Blue Grass Stakes at Keeneland, are the favorites to pick up the major share of the \$125,000-added purse.

The remaining members of the top echelon are Ogden Phipps' Dapper Dan, stablemate of Bold Lad; Isidor Bieber's fleet Flag Raiser, winner of three stakes in New York including the 1 1/4 miles of the Wood Memorial; Maj. Albert Warner's Native Charger, winner of the Flamingo and Florida Derby; Louisiana Derby winner Dapper Delegate, owned by Mrs. Joe W. Brown, Cohen's Hall to All, a stretch runner that just missed in two rich stakes; Tom Rolfe, winner of the Chesapeake Powhatan stable and Arkansas Derby winner Swift Ruler, Earl Allen's Hoop.

The remainder of the field will come from a group that includes the Derby Dan Farm's Bugler; Mrs. Mary Keim's Mr. Pak; Mrs. Janet Stokely's Apple Core and Prime L. Grissom's Carpenter's Rule.

Bill Hartack, with the finest Derby record of four winners and one second in six mounts, will be astride Bold Lad. Hartack won last year with the Canadian horse Northern Dancer, in 1957 with Iron Liege, in 1960 with Venetian Way and in 1962 with Decidedly.

## CURB BOWEL CRAMPING & GAS PAINS

Specific Colitis (functional irritation of the colon or large intestine) may make you suffer from dull cramping aches or burning pains in the side, gas, acidity, heartburn, bloating, bad breath and disturbed sleep. If you suffer from Specific Colitis, avoid rough, scratchy foods and take a special medication like KOLADE. KOLADE is a gentle laxative that relieves cramping, gas and acidity. It is a laxative, not a cathartic, and does not irritate the colon and stomach discomfort.

## Montreal to Vancouver

## Brrrrrm, They're Off!

MONTREAL (CP) — Despite 5 p.m. PST. and others followed early incidents of smashed rear ends, popped pistons, lost competition licenses and missing insurance, the full field of 65 cars made it to the starting ramp of the cross-Canada 4,000-mile rally Saturday night.

The mutter of mufflers and the blare of loud speakers in two languages greeted the crowd of some 1,500 persons at the starting point in downtown Montreal. The event ends in Vancouver next Friday.

The first car left the ramp at

5 p.m. PST. and others followed early incidents of smashed rear ends, popped pistons, lost competition licenses and missing insurance, the full field of 65 cars made it to the starting ramp of the cross-Canada 4,000-mile rally Saturday night.

One of the first casualties was the privately-entered Corvair of Roland Joyal of Clarkson, Ont., and Frank Sylvestre of Oakville, Ont.

The two were on their way to the scrutineering and had stopped at a red light when they were struck from the rear by a truck. The impact pushed one of the fenders into contact with the engine, located in the rear, and the car was towed away for some hasty body work.

The car made it to the scrutineering centre two minutes before the official deadline and was accepted, despite the washboard finish of the metal.

The first leg of the rally is a roundabout route of more than

500 miles to Sudbury, Ont. First competitors are scheduled to arrive at Sudbury at approximately 2 p.m. PDT today.

Among the racers are Pedro Rodriguez of Mexico — well-known in Europe and a two-time winner of the Canadian Grand Prix — driving a factory-entered Studebaker and David Pearson of the United States, No. 3 man in national stock car racing standings in 1964, driving a private entry Dodge Coronet.

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## Fund Up By \$11,435

The tri-universities capital fund was swelled by another \$11,435 during the past week. Seven gifts totalling \$6,435 were received by J. C. Melville in the corporations and executives division while employees of Falcon's in Victoria will donate \$5,000 at the rate of \$1,000 a year for the next five years.

## Habitual Criminal Case Adjourned To May 21

Proceedings to have John N. L. Smith, 28, of Victoria, declared an habitual criminal were adjourned in city magistrate's court Saturday until May 21. Smith had been remanded

from March 20, following a request for adjournment from special prosecutor Terence O'Grady.

Mr. O'Grady said at that time outcome of a pending appeal by Smith against a conviction for

attempted breaking and entering would have a bearing on the proceedings.

Dorothy Hazel Soderman, Munns Road, pleaded guilty to impaired driving.

Court was told she drove off Millstream into a ditch early Saturday, missing a power pole by inches. A breathalyzer test subsequently showed a blood alcohol content of .13 per cent. Prosecution also alleged a conviction of hit-and-run against the woman last February. She was remanded until May 4 for sentence.

Ronald Wyatt, 515 Admirals Road, pleaded guilty in Esquimalt court to obstructing a policeman.

Esquimalt Chief James Smart testified the incident occurred at Wyatt's home early Saturday, when Wyatt hit Const. Ken Hatherley in the stomach.

Wyatt was remanded until May 3 for sentence.

In Oak Bay court Friday, Margaret Dighton, 1327 Beach Drive, was fined \$150 after conviction at an earlier hearing of impaired driving.

In another case, Donald Graber, 1870 Fort, pleaded guilty to impaired driving on Estevan April 2. He was remanded until May 7.

Two young men convicted for consuming liquor in a public place were fined \$50 each. They were John Hunter, 2607 Shelbourne, and John Landson, 226 Lincoln, who drank beer outside their car on the night of April 2.



## Arctic Cadets

Eighteen Sea Cadets from northernmost Sea Cadet Corps in world will help celebrate Navy League Week from May 1 to 8. Youngsters are members of newly-formed group at Pond Inlet in Arctic Circle.

## Service Today Marks Ypres Battle

The Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) will mark the 50th anniversary of the battle of Kitchener's Wood with a drumhead service at 1:30 p.m. today at Albert Head Military Camp.

The Kitchener's Wood battle, the first engagement for the Canadian Scottish, was part of the struggle in the Ypres salient.

## PTA

### MONDAY

Sanwich Police Sgt. Edward Owens will address the Sacred Heart PTA on traffic safety. A suggested radical change in school uniforms will also be discussed; church hall, 1130 Palmer Road, 8 p.m.

Dr. R. D. Lane will address the Royal Oak Junior High PTA on the Indians of Canada, in the school, 8 p.m.

### TUESDAY

A film entitled The Test will be shown to the McKenzie Avenue PTA; school auditorium 8 p.m.

## Italian Reds Aid Viet Cong

ROME (CP) — The Italian Communist party central committee has earmarked \$100,000 for a field hospital to be sent to North Viet Nam.

## Iceland Drivers Will Go Right

REYKJAVIK, Iceland (AP) — Iceland will turn to right-hand driving in 1968. Parliament has decided. Britain and Sweden are sticking to the left but Sweden may switch over in 1967.

## French Lessons Urged For Primary Grades

French, anatomy, physiology and guidance should be part of the regular program in primary grades, says Greater Victoria school trustee Dr. J. B. Jameson.

He said the Greater Victoria school board will present four resolutions during the B.C. School Trustees annual convention in October, urging Education Minister Peterson to include these subjects in the curriculum.

"If children are going to learn a second language, the best time is when the ability is highest—as early as three years of age," Dr. Jameson said.

Dr. Jameson said research showed the student learned more easily when taught at an early age while an older person learning a second language had considerable trouble.

He indicated various attempts had already been made in this direction and principals now are empowered by the school board to begin instruction at the grade 5 level.

BASIC KNOWLEDGE: He felt the problem of getting interested teachers would be circumvented by hiring French-Canadian teachers.

Dr. Jameson hoped that, by introducing anatomy ("what you have") and physiology ("how it works") in the primary grade health program, students would gain a more comprehensive knowledge of body organs and basic knowledge of how to keep healthy.

"What we are doing in the Family Life course, which is the physiology of the reproductive system, should be done gradually."

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## Antelope Seek Warmth

WASHINGTON (CP) — More than 400 pronghorn antelope, driven south from the Canadian prairie by a harsh winter, have been shifted by United States officials into a friendlier habitat. Planes, helicopters and horses were used to round up starving animals. Most have been relocated in southern Montana and some in Utah, reports the U.S. interior department.

The pronghorn antelope is a graceful, little native of the North American scene once nearly as plentiful as the bison. Antelope in recent years have made a comeback on the prairies of Saskatchewan and Alberta particularly.

## VOICE OF WOMEN DR. WILLIAM WILLMOTT Department of Asian Studies, U.B.C. "Viet Nam—Canada's Concern?"

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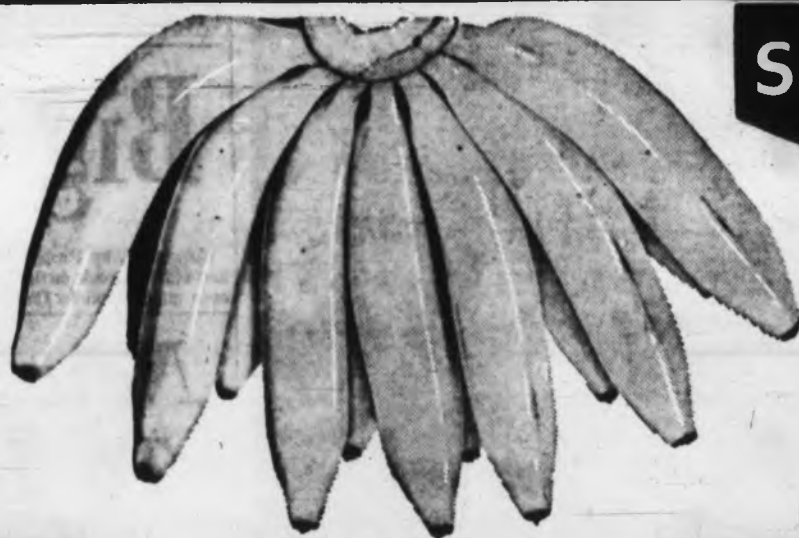
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## Colwood Development to Have 200 Lots

## Big Housing Project Begins

Colwood Lake Properties Ltd., The \$300,000 development will be the third fairway and green of the Royal Colwood golf course, has started work on its new 24-acre subdivision in Colwood.

## New Giant Parkade To House 700 Cars

By JIM BRAHAN  
By late summer the largest automobile parkade on lower Vancouver Island will be at the Hudson's Bay Company store in Victoria.

A third deck above the existing parkade is under construction at a cost of \$330,000.

Construction is scheduled for completion by August 23, and will contain more than 700 parking spaces, of which 450 will be undercover in the lower and second levels.

**ONE DECK OPEN**  
During the period the upper parking deck is under construction the second level will be closed to traffic. The lower level will remain open for customer parking, and in addition 110 parking spaces will be in use on the company's property north of the store on Herald Street.

The second level of the parkade is scheduled to open for customer parking on July 19. All three levels of the new parkade will feature glass fronted arcade entrances into the store.

**EYE APPEAL**  
Ceramic tile will be used extensively in the Flagard and Blanshard Streets parkade entrances to give the parking area more eye appeal.

"Our new parkade will complement Victoria's Centennial Square," said store manager J. H. Mackay. "It is another step in the rejuvenation of downtown Victoria."

The prospective flow of traffic for the parking area has been under study, and a system of lanes has been planned to permit the routing of automobiles from the entrances to the parking spaces, and again to the exits with little or no impeding of traffic.

The parkade was designed by architects Wade Stock dill Armour and partners.

The first stacked deck parking accommodation to be built in Canada was constructed at the Hudson's Bay Company's Winnipeg store in 1952.

## Reds Threaten To Halt Visits

BERLIN (UPI) — The Communists Friday threatened to halt visits through the Berlin wall unless West Berlin extradites a refugee who fled from the east on Good Friday with a stolen pass.

Neues Deutschland, the official East German Communist Party newspaper, declared the West "cannot commit provocations and get passes at the same time."

West Berlin officials said extradition was not the question even though they planned to try the refugee here.

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Lake, and through to Saanich Road.

According to Aubrey Jenkins, managing director of Colwood Lake Properties, the lots will be open to purchasers late in May.

Lots adjoining the golf club property will be priced from \$1,500 to \$5,000. Other lots, depending on the view, will range from \$2,500 to \$3,500, according to Mr. Jenkins.

The company intends to place building restrictions on the homes to be constructed in the subdivision.

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## Full Details

## Festival Of Music Opens Monday

By BERT BENNY

The 1965 Greater Victoria Music Festival opens tomorrow. The first five days are occupied by adult as distinct from school classes and involve singers, pianists, speech artists and accordianists.

There are two honor performances. The first, at 8 p.m. on Wednesday at Oak Bay Junior High School, is for outstanding performances in the Speech Arts classes as selected by adjudicators Dorothy Davies.

## TOP HONORS

The second, at 8 p.m. on Friday at the McPherson Playhouse, brings on recalled performers from vocal and piano classes and includes the final competition for the Rose Bowl and City of Victoria Medallion, the former emblematic of festival supremacy in vocal efforts and the latter in piano.

In the general course of events there are some pretty well contested classes such as one of 40 entrants Wednesday morning and of 34 Thursday, both in elementary piano.

On the other hand there are also classes with single entries who have only required percentage marks to worry about.

## LONE MALE ENTRY

The operatic and oratorio vocal solo classes which lead to the Rose Bowl are scattered. The female oratorio class has eliminations on Monday evening and finals on Wednesday evening when a lone male competitor in the same division will be heard.

The female operatic class takes place on Thursday evening and the male section on Tuesday evening.

The vocal classes will be adjudicated by Mr. Philip Hatley who is on the staff of the Royal Academy in London, England, and the University of Reading.

## JUDGES NAMED

Judging pianists and organists will be Mr. Angus Morrison of the Royal Academy of Music in London and Vancouver's well-known Miss Dorothy Davies presides over the speech arts.

Returning for a second successive year as adjudicator of the accordion classes is Mr. Edgar Schuss, both a composer and arranger for this instrument.

In addition to the Rose Bowl and Medallion, a considerable number of other bursaries, scholarships and prizes will have been won by the time the first week of the festival ends.

## DETAILED PROGRAM

Here's a detailed program of the first week of activities.

Unless otherwise noted morning sessions start at 9 a.m., afternoon at 1:30 and evening at 7:30. "A" indicates First United Church Assembly Hall; "M" is St. John's Church Memorial Hall and "P" stands for Fellowship Hall of First United Church, located on Balmoral Street.

**Monday**—morning, afternoon and evening: A. Speech Arts classes, M. Piano classes, P. Vocal classes. Tuesday morning, afternoon and evening: A. (afternoon and evening only), Speech Arts classes, M. Piano classes, P. Vocal classes. The Tuesday morning Speech Arts classes are at Oak Bay Junior High School auditorium.

**Wednesday**—morning, afternoon and evening: M. Piano classes, P. Vocal classes. A. (morning and afternoon) Speech Arts with Speech Arts honor performance, 8 p.m. at Oak Bay Junior High.

**Thursday**—morning, afternoon and evening: A. Piano accordion classes, M. Piano classes, P. Vocal classes. Friday: M. only in the morning Piano classes, Festival Highlights, McPherson Playhouse, 8:30 a.m.

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## Schools Get Message

## Pop Music Fun But Not Art Children Told

By PATRICK O'NEILL

Popular music, from Brubeck jazz to the Beatles, be-bop and the blues is good fun, but it's not art.

That's the message the Victoria string quartet formed early this year, is trying to get over to school children on Vancouver Island.

"I used to play sax with a band, it's good fun, but that's all it is," said Sam Spinak, who plays viola with the quartet.

Other members: Jean Angus, first violin; Mrs. Spinak, second violin, and Hans Siegrist, cello.

These four musicians, with conductor Otto Wernher-Mueller, are the professionals—the core—of the Victoria Symphony.

"You know, it's wonderful the questions little children ask," said Mr. Spinak, who delights in the task of explaining chamber music and the use of the instruments to the children at concerts.

"One little boy asked, 'do you always play music, or do you go to work sometimes?'" laughed Mr. Spinak.

## Response Good

After the first of six concerts at Shawinigan Lake boys' school, a lad complained to Mr. Spinak that another boy was combing his hair during the performance.

"Well, you tell him next time he must behave like a gentleman," said the artist. Replied the youth: "If he lives that long."

Mr. Spinak said the response in the schools here has been good. He said children of any age from any kind of homes can be properly introduced to chamber music.

"We did this when I was in Birmingham, and we got rapt attention from the children in council schools in the slums," he said. "And there are no worse slums anywhere than there are in Birmingham."

The quartet's program in the schools is sponsored by Victoria School of Music and Victoria Symphony.

"We expect to give a major public recital this season," said Mr. Spinak. "The school tour will not be the end function of this quartet."

He said the musicians hope their quartet, with help from its sponsors, will tour Canada in the future as the "Victoria String Quartet."

## Culture Potential

In Mr. Spinak's opinion, Victoria needs such a quartet, and Canada has too few.

"Every cultured city needs a quartet," he said.

"Is Victoria cultured?" "It has the potential," he said. "I think we will get the support of those who want chamber music, and those who have the sense to want to improve themselves."

The Spinaks were married last summer, when he was playing for the BBC in Glasgow, and she came from London on holiday.

"The day after we were married we met Victoria Symphony head Jack Barraclough, and

two weeks later I kissed my new bride goodbye and boarded a boat for Canada."

Mr. Spinak followed in January. He said he has worked under many fine conductors, including an American tour with Sir Thomas Beecham, but he has worked with none better than Victoria conductor Otto Wernher-Mueller.

Mr. Spinak has high hopes for the musical future of Victoria, and the musical education of its children.

Can he convert the children from the Beatles? "It's a battle we must face with great bravery, and great joy!"

## Wool-Carding Mill Now Century Old

BRIDGEWATER, N.S. (CP)—A wool-carding mill in this South Shore town is still in business after more than 100 years of continuous operation.

The trade is just a sideline now for owner Vernon Wile, whose grandfather built the mill in 1860 and managed it until his death in 1911. But Mr. Wile still works evenings carding wool for anyone who brings it in.

He uses the original machines run by water power and says the equipment is in good condition. Electric lights are the only modern touch.

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## Big Show Set For May

By FAITH ANGUS

Preparations are being made by local collectors for the annual Tri-Club exhibition scheduled for May 11-14 in the Hudson's Bay Company's Douglas Room.

The sponsoring societies are the pioneer Vancouver Island Philatelic Society, Greater Victoria Philatelic Society and the Victoria Junior Stamp Club.

A large and extremely interesting variety of subjects will be shown in about 140 frames. The junior division this year will equal the senior display.

An entry from Victoria won a silver award ribbon for "topicals" at the Inland Philatelic Society exhibition in Spokane in March when Lester Small entered his "Stamps on Stamps"—a subject that is becoming increasingly popular.

British Airways Corp. will inaugurate VC-10 aircraft service from New York to Nassau and New York to Montego Bay and Kingston on or about April 30. Official cadets will be authorized.

Stamps in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the liberation of Hungary from the Nazis were issued on April 4. Denominations are 20, 30, 50, 60 fillers and 1.40, 1.70, 2, 2.50 and 3 forints. The designs are bouquets of different flowers in their natural colors. Designed by Sandor Legrady, they are printed in multicolor photogravure by the state printing office in Budapest.

The United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus commensuratives were issued on April 4.

The most typical of Ivory Coast traditional craftsmanship was shown in a set of stamps issued recently in denominations of 5, 10, 20, and 25F. They were designed by Cottet.

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Garden Notes

# Hedge with Aroma

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRHS

**DWARF FORMAL HEDGE** (N.W. Duncan)—English Box is about the ideal shrub for a very low formal hedge to plant on either side of your driveway, and the best kind is Buxus suffruticosa, which is the true dwarf Box.

Unfortunately, the price is a bit high for a planting on the scale that you contemplate. It is unlikely that you could buy the plants for less than \$1 each, and as the spacing is only eight inches apart, a great number would be required.

A pretty good and inexpensive substitute, though, would be the so-called Lavender Cotton, Santolina chamaecyparissus. This plant has ferny silvery-grey foliage, very attractive and with an aromatic fragrance when crushed or brushed against. The button-like blossoms are no great shakes and are better pruned away.

Cuttings of Lavender Cotton root as easily as mint—just snip off a slip and insert it in a bed of sandy soil. When well rooted, the plants can be

set in their hedge position 12 inches apart. Clip closely every April.

**COMMON "MANDARIN"** (J.E.S. Nanaimo)—Mandarin is a particularly fine strain of Cosmos "Orange Flame," fully double and with more than 40 petals on each bloom, and a good deep orange shade.

It is a poor performer in our part of the world, though, as it requires a short day to initiate the flower buds, and we are too far north, with too many hours of summer daylight. The plant will bloom here, but too late in the season to be worthwhile.

I imagine Mandarin would respond to covering with a black cloth in the late afternoon, as with chrysanthemums, to simulate a short day.

If I were you, though, I'd pass up Mandarin in favor of Orange Flame which, while not as fine a flower, is much less sensitive to day length.

cut back the remaining side shoots fairly hard each year just after the blossoms fade.

Two good climbers to combine with the yellow jasmine would be Clematis jackmanii, purple blooms, blooming from July to October, and Clematis Nellie Moser, pink and mauve, flowering from May to July. These three vines together would provide color on your trellis for ten months of the year.

**UNTHRIFTY THRIFT** (A.G., Cobble Hill)—The death of the middle portions in your clumps of Thrift are most likely due to old age and exhaustion. As the clump spreads outward, the vigorous new young shoots on the outer perimeter take all the good from the soil, leaving little or nothing for the hard and woody middle bit.

This happens quite often with clumps of perennial pinks, too. Such plants should be taken up and divided every second year in early spring or late fall, replanting only the vigorous outer pieces and discarding the worn-out middle of the mass.

## ART BUCHWALD Among Soiled Picketers

# Sit-Ins Great Unwashed

WASHINGTON—The real objection to student demonstrations in the United States, as far as I can discover, is not the politics of the students or what they are demonstrating against, but the fact that many of the demonstrators are unwashed and uncombed.

Just the other day Congressman Dowdy of Texas told the Daughters of the American Revolution at their 74th convention that their arrival in Washington was "a breath of fresh air" compared to the "rabble-rousers, beatniks, and bums who so recently have been descending on us."

Many people have been echoing Congressman Dowdy's words. "If they'd only take a bath," a friend told me, "I wouldn't care what they did."

Another man said, "I think they really believed in America when they came here. I don't think they believe in it now."

And so it goes. There is nothing that disturbs a white collar worker more than somebody else with a dirty white collar.

It is therefore my belief that if we could clean up our demonstrators there would be no objection to their demonstrating.

For one thing, you know anybody who looks clean isn't going to be a Communist.

I talked to several of the students picketing the White House on the Easter weekend and they agreed with me that cleanliness was quite a problem when you're demonstrating.

"You ride all night on a bus," one student said, "so you're not going to wear your best clothes. Then you have to think in terms of sit-ins. You never know when you're going to be ordered to sit down. Most sidewalks are pretty dirty, you know."

Another student agreed and also said, "You know, demonstrating is hard work and you work up quite a lot of perspiration carrying these signs over your head. Even if you did take a bath it wouldn't help."

A college coed in blue jeans said, "There's no sense putting up your hair because it gets all messed up if you get arrested."

"It isn't as if we're going to a prom," another co-ed added. "And there are some pickets who look very neat," I said.

"Oh, those are FBI informers. They have to look neat or they'll ruin their image."

"Besides," the other co-ed added, "they're the only ones allowed to use the White House washroom."

"Then you're not against baths in principle?" "Oh, no," a student said. "If they'd let me in the White House I'd take one right now."

"Me, too," another student said. "They must have more than one bath in there." Only one student in the group said he wouldn't take a bath in the White House. "At least not until they stop bombing North Viet Nam."

## SHEILAH GRAHAM Chats with RAYMOND BURR

# Perry Mason vs. Bonanza

HOLLYWOOD (NANA)—Raymond Burr has been threatening to quit his popular Perry Mason series every year now for the past three years. Yet he has just signed again for a ninth year. I asked him why.

"Money, that's why," he told me. "It's as simple as that. CBS offered me so much money I would have been a fool to turn it down."

And Ray is no fool. Naturally I wanted to know how much money it had taken to make him change his mind. "Two million dollars is how much, Sheila," he said quite candidly. "Which is quite a bit more than I got the first year of Perry Mason. Then I was paid less than \$100,000."

Ray continued in one of his rare talking moods, for he's almost as reluctant to give interviews as Greta Garbo.

"There's also a bit of ego connected with my signing for another year. Sheila, CBS is going to slot the show opposite Bonanza on Sunday night next season. That's ironic, since when that show first went on the air five years ago, it played opposite us and NBC had to move it because we were out-rating it consistently. So I'm very interested to see if we can make them move again."

There have been many rumors during the past few years that one of the reasons Ray wanted to leave Perry Mason was because of ill health. I remember last year

I was talking with an actress who had just finished appearing as a guest star with Ray. She told me then that he'd been in and out of the hospital several times during the shooting of that particular show, that he looked terribly wan, and she frankly ventured the opinion that he had a malignancy.

Ray is putting on weight and he's not happy about it. He's always had a weight problem, and when he signed to do Perry Mason he virtually starved himself to get thin. Now, however, he's putting some of it on again and viewers are just going to have to accept him as he is. He's not going to try any starvation diets again.

Ray has never married and doesn't intend to at this late stage. A friend of his told me: "Some men are born to be bachelors and Ray is one of them. He's lived alone so long now that he would be very difficult for any woman to live with. Like most single people, he's set in his ways; he doesn't have to explain his whereabouts to anyone."

For the past few years Ray has shunned personal publicity like the plague. He does his Perry Mason show, entertains troops, makes a few guest appearances on other shows when his time permits, and that's about all that anyone hears of him.

"Will next season be your last season with Perry Mason?" I asked.

"Absolutely, Sheila, this will be the last," he reassured me. "Unless, of course, something happens to make me change my mind."

That something could be money.

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The Canadian Navy commissioned 70 frigates during the war which helped sink 11 enemy submarines.

Since then they have steadily drifted out of service, pushed into drydock by more modern equipment and the high cost of bringing them up to date. The Federal Crown Assets Corporation now has four of them for sale.

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Mrs. Justice was awarded an honorary membership in the Photographic Society of America in 1961 for her work in creative photography. She has judged and lectured extensively in the United States.

## Cultural Pact

South Korea's cabinet has approved a cultural agreement with Nationalist China for exchanges of educationists, journalists, students and artists.

## 'Deserve Help'

# Doctor Opens Drive For Viet Nam Tribe

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — An American doctor who has spent the last year treating mountain tribesmen in South Viet Nam has launched a nationwide drive in the U.S. to raise \$250,000 to help them.

"After living and working with these people, I can say that they deserve the best help we can supply," says Dr. James W. Turpin. "They are making a genuine effort to help themselves."

## HOSPITAL, CLINIC

Turpin, 37, has set up a 25-bed hospital in the village of Da Mpo about 150 miles north-east of Saigon. He and an international staff also operate out-

## Independent Firm Wins Extension

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The United Steelworkers Union announced Saturday the first contract extension with a steel company, postponing the May 1 strike deadline for Phoenix Steel Corp.

Union President David J. McDonald said the agreement will be signed formally Monday, covering some 1,000 steelworkers at the firm's plant in Phoenixville, Pa., and 2,000 workers at another plant in Claymont, Del.

McDonald said the company had accepted the union's offer of a strike postponement provided that it later gives contract improvements negotiated with the 11 major steel firms.

## SAME TERMS

The announcement came shortly after McDonald said the union offered independent steel firms the same terms offered to the 11 major producers. It amounted to a strike threat.

The independent firms account for about 20 per cent of U.S. steel production, McDonald said.

McDonald said any independent company that wants an extension must agree to make effective any benefits later negotiated with the 11 big steel firms, retroactive to May 1. McDonald emphasized that the union's policy of "no contract-no work" applies to all steel firms.

The steelworkers' executive board also authorized interim agreements with any of the independent firms on the basis of

SAYREVILLE, N.J. (UPI) — Two star-crossed, teen-age sweethearts who died in each others' arms in a fiery suicide because life together was impossible, will be parted in death despite their last wish to be buried side by side.

The parents of Virginia Zubrick, 16, and John Connors, 18, disclosed Saturday that the request for burial together will not be honored. Religion will keep the lovers apart and they will be buried in church cemeteries in different states.

Virginia was a Russian Orthodox and she must be buried in a Russian Orthodox cemetery. John was an Episcopalian and will be buried in a cemetery of his faith.

Faced with parental disapproval of their romance, Virginia and John had been secretly engaged. Police learned of their suicide plans from scraps of paper left in their homes.

Despite a note from the girl saying "I want to be buried with Jack," the two were sep-

arated in the morgue in Perth Amboy. Virginia will go to the family plot in an Orthodox cemetery in Peckville, Pa., near Scranton. John will be buried in Christ Church Cemetery, South Amboy, where he worked as a grave attendant.

The couple were found in each other's arms Friday on what had been a grassy, windswept beach off Raritan Bay several hours after a brush fire had been extinguished.

Police and prosecutor's de-

tectives scoured the ashes of the beach to find clues as to the origin of the fire.

John was found with a pack of matches in his shirt pocket. Virginia had a pack of cigarettes in her hand. They were lying face up, their arms around each other. Their bodies were charred almost beyond recognition.

At home police found notes from the lovers.

"I love you, Jack," one said. "I will always love you."

In a wallet in the boy's home

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## Fluoridation For All— Not Just One

An Oak Bay councillor said Saturday if fluoridation is desired by the public, it should be put into effect throughout Greater Victoria, not in individual municipalities.

"From a dollars and cents point of view, fluoridation should not be instituted piecemeal," said Coun. Walter Dodsworth.

He was commenting on a move by Coun. Dr. Harold Carter to get council support for a referendum in Oak Bay to fluoridate the municipality's water system.

**COUNCIL MOVING**  
Council will vote on Coun. Carter's motion Monday.

"I have an open mind on fluoridation itself," commented Coun. Dodsworth, "but I do feel it would be economical to fluoridate the water of the whole of Greater Victoria rather than one municipality at a time."

He pointed out the Greater Victoria water system serves all municipalities in the metropolitan area.

"We would have to have a special injection system to put the fluoride in our water alone."

**CENTRAL STATION**  
He suggested a central station to fluoridate water for the whole area.

Coun. Dodsworth said he follows the opinions of doctors and scientists on the merits of fluoridation.

"If professional men think this is a good thing, I might go along with it on the basis of fluoridating the whole water system."

Coun. Dodsworth was out of town when Coun. Carter first presented his motion of motion in a committee meeting.

**OPTIMISTIC**  
Coun. Carter has expressed optimism that council will pass his motion for a fluoridation referendum.

He said this was indicated by the attitude of councillors at the committee meeting.

The referendum needs a simple majority to pass, Coun. Carter said. Reeve Alan Cox supports the referendum.

Coun. Carter will ask that the referendum be held as soon as legally possible, if council approves.

### Theft of Flags Angers Owner

Derick is angry.  
Some clot or clots has stolen his flags.

"This is the third time within a week someone has stolen my flags," said Derick Stratford, city service station lessee. "I am tired of paying \$20 apiece for Red Ensigns and Maple Leafs to have them stolen."

"I like the idea of keeping our flags flying, but at this rate I can't afford it," he added.

## 18-Year-Old Victorian Killed in Car Crash

Death claimed an 18-year-old driver early Saturday as Greater Victoria's fifth traffic fatality of the year.

Apprentice carpenter Ronald Garside, 1712 Bay, died at 4 a.m. in St. Joseph's Hospital of chest injuries suffered in a two-car smash three hours earlier.

His car collided at Obed and Bodega with a car driven by

20-year-old Garry B. Haut, 920 Jasmine.

**ESCAPED WITH CUT**  
Mr. Haut, who like Mr. Garside was alone in his car, escaped with a cut chin.

Saanich police said that following the collision, the Garside car shot off the road and spun about a power pole.

Ambulance men found him lying partly out of the door.

Mr. Garside was born in Victoria and moved in 1955 with his family to Kitimat. When the family returned here in 1963 he attended Oak Bay Junior High School.

Surviving are his father, George Garside and two brothers, Allan and David.

Date of the inquest will be announced later.

### 'Somewhat Ambiguous—Case Dismissed'

## Magistrate Raps Own Judgment

Magistrate William Ostler has criticized the wording of a judgment delivered last December by a local magistrate himself.

He made his self-criticism in city magistrate's court Saturday during a case in which a man was charged with driving while his licence was under suspension.

Defendant Douglas Schliekelman, 522 Rupert, had pleaded not guilty. Schliekelman admitted in his testimony he was convicted last Dec. 10 of impairment and

said he knew the conviction involved a suspension.

What he did not realize, he said, was that suspension would date from the moment of conviction.

He had thought the matter would be handled by the Motor Vehicles Branch, but he never heard from the branch.

He said he phoned the branch to ask if it was all right to drive until he received notice of suspension and was told it was.

But a policeman stopped him

March 19 while he was in his car on Quadra and a charge of driving while suspended was laid.

About two weeks later, Schliekelman said, he finally obtained the notice by applying for it in person at the city police station.

Evidence was introduced by the prosecution to show that the branch had mailed Schliekelman his notice Feb. 1, nearly eight weeks after his conviction.

Schliekelman said he never received the letter.

In his summing-up, Magistrate Ostler consulted the official transcript of the Dec. 10 case.

He described the decision in the matter as somewhat ambiguous, and he attributed this to the magistrate who had tried the case—himself.

He had told Schliekelman then, "Your licence will be suspended," which could be interpreted as meaning immediate suspension or suspension in the future.

He noted also there was no evidence to show Schliekelman

had in fact received the notice from the Motor Vehicles Branch.

The B.C. Appeal Court had ruled driving while suspended was a criminal charge of some gravity, the magistrate said, and he agreed.

But it was essential there should be no doubt about the guilt of the accused. In Schliekelman's case, the magistrate said, there was reasonable doubt.

He was therefore dismissing the case, which he described as a "very narrow" one.

### Daily Call Cheers City Brokers

## Phantom Investor from Secretland

By HARRY YOUNG  
Colonist Business Editor

Most business days, the boys in the trading room of Hagar Investments Ltd. get a phone call from Robbie, the polar investor.

They don't know what his other name is, because Robbie will not tell. He is not even a client, because Robbie

does not attempt to do business. He is merely asking for stock quotations.

The unusual thing about Robbie and his anonymity is that his voice comes in via a local ham radio operator.

The ham switches Robbie through to Hagar's and he asks for a number of prices "Over to you."

The conversation being of this one-way type, is not very spontaneous, and Robbie just gives them snatches of life in the Arctic:

"What's your name?"

"Sorry cannot tell you, I'm classified."

"Where are you speaking from?"

"Oh, we are scattered over the Arctic islands."

"Are you on the Canadian coast?"

"No, a long way north of that. Look near the Pole."

"How many of you are up there?"

"Quite a few of us, but we are scattered all over the islands."

"What are you doing?"

"Sorry, that's classified, too. But we must be nuts to work up here."

"What's the weather like?"

"Oh, it's not bad today, only 30 below. Well, keep that market going. Ring you tomorrow."

Some days static is so bad that Robbie can hardly make

himself heard at all, and some days he comes through fairly clear.

Just how genuine Robbie is, none of the boys at Hagar's can even guess. But they look forward to his call and his daily chatter. It makes life in Victoria seem almost indelicately luxurious.



### Save-Our-Swamp Group

## Sanctuary Bid Causes Alarm

By GARY OAKES

Sale of Rithet Swamp in Saanich could mean the destruction of the natural wilderness sanctuary, the Saanich Save-Our-Swamp committee said Saturday.

The group said it learned a Victoria businessman is trying to buy the 94-acre property near Royal Oak Avenue and Patricia Bay Highway.

**USE RESTRICTED**  
Covenants restrict the use of the area, which abounds in exotic plant life, but the committee fears a sale could trigger some development which would destroy the swamp.

Says a committee secretary Mrs. S. L. Cumberland, 874 Royal Oak: "There would be nothing stopping a buyer from clearing the land for farming purposes. If this was done the swamp could never be recovered."

**NO SUBDIVISION**  
The property was sold in 1954 by Rithet Consolidated Ltd. to farmer Saanich farmer J. D. Burdige with the provision that it not be subdivided or used for anything except agriculture purposes.

It has been offered to Saanich council several times and now is for sale at a reported selling price of \$50,000.

**MAY BE LOST**  
"If council doesn't act soon, it may be lost forever," Mrs. Cumberland warns.

But Saanich Coun. Leslie Passmore said Saturday he believes the committee should start a fund-raising campaign to buy the land and preserve it as a parkland.

**HIGHLY DESIRABLE**  
He terms the committee's objectives to preserve both the lowlands and surrounding hillsides "commendable and highly desirable."

But the veteran councillor also points out that "council simply can't afford all the commendable and highly desirable projects."

**TAKE INITIATIVE**  
Coun. Passmore said he would be in favor of council supporting the committee's work "but they should take the initiative."

"That's what we want to do," Mrs. Cumberland replied. "We simply want a mandate from council."

**DETAILED STUDY**  
The seven-member committee, which was formed at a public meeting in March, has prepared a detailed study and a brief of the swamp which will go before Saanich council May 3. Copies have already been circulated among councillors.

The brief hasn't been made public yet but it is expected to urge that the lowlands and surrounding hillsides be bought and dedicated as parkland as soon as possible.

### Reunion Bares Truth

Covering up for beer in brotherly who's-bigger competition in Wilfred. Heral, left, 62, of 600 Baxter, reunited last week with brother Ernest, 71, of Telkwa, after 35 years. Wilfred, B.C. Forest Products employee, moved to Island from interior in 1930 and had kept in touch by letter since with Ernest, retired rancher now visiting Victoria.—(William Rouscher).

### Seen In Passing

Emilio Balmabi cleaning and disinfecting a palm tree. (A gardener at the Empress, he lives at 290 West Obed. His hobbies are bowling and golf.)

Iain Kirkaldy-Willis recuperating from his exams at Shawnigan Lake. . . . Bill Barwell laying a concrete floor.

John Martin reviewing a magazine, supervised by Ray Vital. . . . Eugene Zappella preparing for his holidays.

Doug Craig telling Fred Stephenson a sick joke. . . . Byron Rhade setting a bad example by getting in an early garden. . . . Bob Strath oyster hunting. . . . Leslie Webb feeding a pool of goldfish. . . . Lyle Wilson admiring some amateur carpenter work.



Emilio

### School's In—Hooray!

Parents will jump with glee, clap their hands and smile Monday morning.

Junior is going back to school.

Following a 10-day holiday, part of which was submerged in rain, it will be business as usual for all schools.

### Thumbs a Factor

## P-H Pffft At Border

Four of the strangest looking gentlemen to attempt entry into Canada were turned back at the border Friday, disappointing 200 Victoria coffee house patrons.

The P-H Factors, four Seattle singers who trade on strange hairdos, clothes and music, arrived in Victoria Saturday for an engagement last night and tonight at the Secret coffee house.

But 200 found the Secret closed Friday after the group was unable to cross the border.

The group explained its adventure this way:

Bound from Seattle to the border, their car broke down. Out they got, and up went their thumbs.

One fearless motorist stopped his car, watched nervously as a man with a monocle, another wearing his hair in a bun, and two others with unique appearance tossed mandolins, guitars, banjo and a giant washbub bass into his car.

But true to the tradition of customs men, it wasn't the strangeness of the quartet that closed the border. It was the driver who was refused entry.



### Barrel of Fun—Now

Having barrel of fun is Stephen Tenning, 6, of 3220 Seaton, who became stuck for 45 minutes in three-foot-high, 18-inch-wide barrel while playing in basement of neighbor Armand Gagne, 214 Burnside West. Fire department rolled him outside, pushed barrel wider and freed crouched boy—who went back to barrel game as soon as he was convinced it was safe.—(Ian McKain)

## Retired Servants 'Should Get More'

Retired civil servants should have more money says Victoria MP David Groos.

As a result the Liberal member is trying to pressure the federal government into increasing pensions.

"Too many retired people

are trying to exist on pensions inequitable with today's living standards," he said Saturday night.

"If the federal government took the lead in increasing pensions, provincial governments and private industry might follow."



Ostler





## PERSONAL MENTION

By Dorothy Wrotnowski

Putting aside her brushes and cleaning fluids for a month is Mrs. W. Lloyd Morgan, whose studio is in her home, The Priory, on Penberth Road, the beautiful home built by Edward Gaylor Prior nearly 80 years ago.

Mrs. Morgan is vacationing in southern California. En route she stopped off in Seattle to see her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lloyd Morgan, and their son and four daughters.

Mrs. Morgan is one of the few people in the northwest who is an expert at restoring faded, old oil paintings. She is also an artist in her own right, having studied as the beautiful Mary Ellen O'Brien at St. Ann's Academy under Sister Mary Odette.

Recently Mrs. Morgan worked for two years restoring a large oil of Queen Victoria. There were some who called the painting a monstrosity that should never have been restored. But it is an important picture and now the Queen, in regal blue and crimson velvet, in a Victorian gold frame, hangs on a gold wall at his-

torie Dingle House on the Gorge. American tourists love it.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groves who used to live here, sent Easter greetings to old friends. They were both well-known in musical circles in Victoria before taking off to the land of Uncle Sam. They have lived in California and New York City and are now having a fine time in Florida's Boynton Beach. Freda teaches music and Harold still delights with his "Burlington Bertie from Bow."

It is good to see the turrets and towers of Craigdarroch Castle (basically once more) after being dark all winter because the Castle Preservation Society was low on funds.

Tourists love this wondrous old building which some unimaginative people call hideous. They take pictures of the place by the hundreds to show all the way from Tokyo to Tuscany.

Old timers also love this place and a few still remember one of Victoria's gorgeous society events, the wedding of Jessie Sophia Dunsmuir and Sir Richard Musgrave in 1890.

Elsewhere on this page is a picture of little Jennie Nelson with other members of her family who are here from London.

I think I should tell you that Jennie loves Victoria.

When I phoned the Biking home to arrange for the picture and was waiting for Mrs. Nelson to come to the phone a small voice out of the blue announced "I am Jennie."

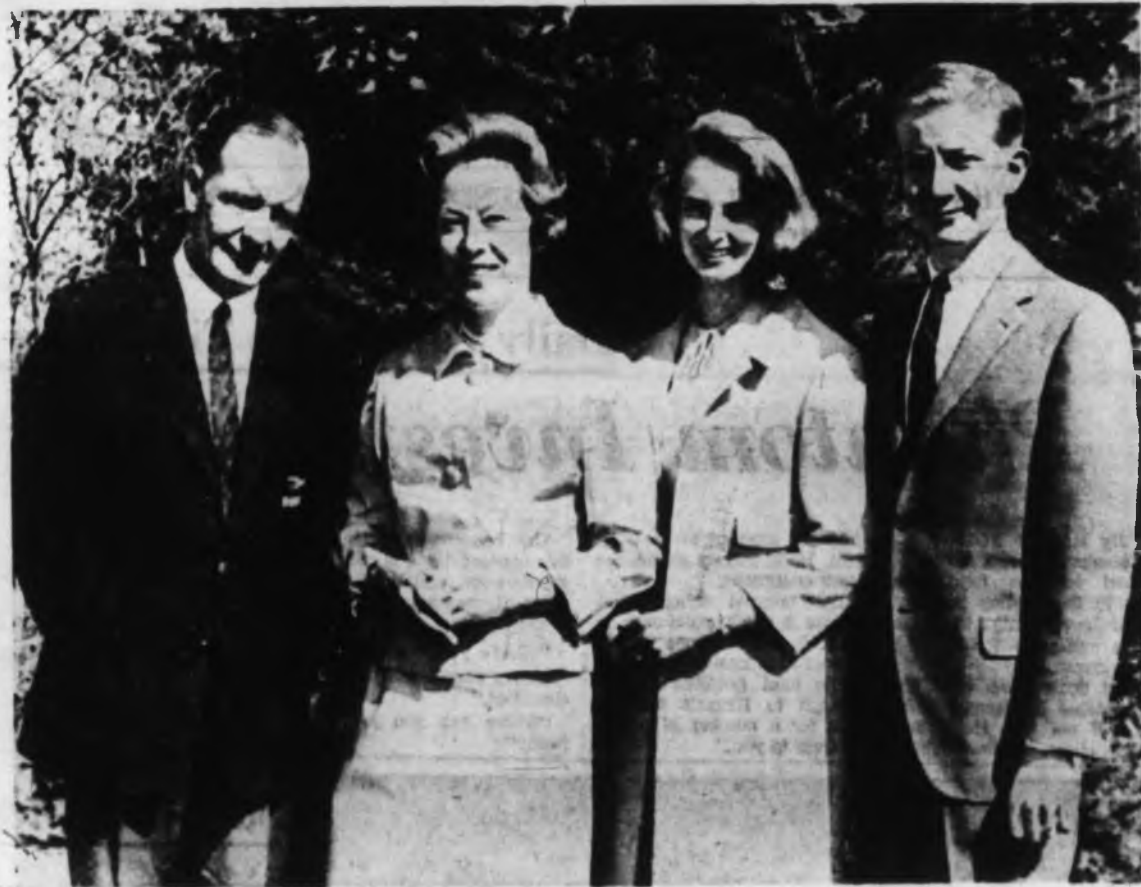
Quite obviously I was expected to answer this opening gambit.

Somewhat surprised I answered with the old one "Do you like being here in Victoria. Back came the tiny voice, "Yes," and then, "No, I love it!"

Mother arrived and the short conversation was ended.

Mrs. Annie Adamson who is 83 years of age is off by plane next week for Scotland where she plans to spend the money the authorities won't let her bring out to this country. Mrs. Adamson really makes a protest about this attitude.

According to Don Mathison his grandmother is the youngest member of her family, with whom she lives.



A Canada Council grant of Senior Fellowship status is taking Dr. John Carson, University of Victoria, and Mrs. Carson (left) to Europe this June, and a happy combination of circumstances is also taking their son John and his wife Marilyn (right) there too. The younger John, passed by a rigorous board

at Queen's College, has been accepted to read for the Final Honour School of Politics, Philosophy and Economics, with Senior Status, at Oxford. Dr. Carson's award was given for brilliant work on Greek accentuation.—(Robin Clarke)

## Year in Europe

## For Professor

## Love Affair with Greek Wins Council Grant

By EILEEN LEAROYD

An absorbing passion and a lot of hard work are taking Dr. John Carson to Europe this summer.

More specifically a \$6,000 Canada Council grant is taking him there, the reward of a long, long love affair—with the Classical Greek language.

In love with Greek?

Anyone who doubts this statement is advised to read on. "It has a kind of iridescence, a magnetism, an immediacy," he mused. "Its lyrical, lovely." Sitting in Dr. Carson's Freshet Street living room, I had a mental picture of Greek columns, laurel wreaths and heroic deeds.

Like an orator-scholar of old, he went on in praise of the beauty of Greek, not the dead language, but the living tongue. In his enthusiasm, he paced the room.

"Classical Greek is being raised from the dead to life. We cannot really understand the present or assess the future

without understanding it. The living tongue has a musical lift to it, like incantation, a certain cadency.

"We cannot fit our modern beliefs against history without knowing the original language."

Dr. Carson, full professor, department of Classics, University of Victoria, has a Senior Fellowship grant which will give him a full year between Trinity College, Dublin, and universities of Birmingham, Cambridge and Cardiff.

## NEW SOUND

There he will pursue work already begun on Greek accentuation, and take it further with old associates such as Professor John Davidson of Leeds who has written the definitive edition of Homer's Iliad and Odyssey, and Dr. Stanford of Trinity College who has laid the ground work for the "new" sound of Greek as a living tongue.

"Our thought," he said, "is to bring Classical Greek to the fore with oral presentation. There is an essential purity in the original language that is impossible to read through translations. "True, we cannot ALL tackle Classical Greek, but many modern young people do have the ability if it is offered in the right way."

"Homer, Aeschylus, Aristotle, Plato—their minds were better than any produced since. The very way in which we form many of our concepts in the West is Greek. So we ought to examine it at its roots, go back to the essentials."

To this end Dr. Carson has

an idea for capturing young minds and passing on his fascination with Greek thought, and the Greek tongue. With the cooperation of Dr. J. F. K. English he hopes to organize Greater Victoria grade 10, 11 and 12 classes three times a week sometime in the future.

He feels the aim is significant as in the years ahead, with advancing technology, there will be more leisure time. Study of Greek could fill a gap, and draw out finer qualities of the mind. It should, he feels, be taught alongside Latin.

## REVITED

In travelling to England Dr. Carson will be revisiting his homeland.

Both he and Mrs. Carson who will accompany him are English born.

A Yorkshireman, Dr. Carson went up to Queen's College, Oxford as a scholar, with heavy emphasis on Greek, Latin and Arabic.

On leaving Oxford he spent two years in the Sudan, growing cotton and practising his Arabic, then returned to England to teach at Workson College. He married in 1939 and with the Green Howards (Yorkshire Infantry Regiment) including Dunkirk and two years on the Gold Coast.

## TOP PER CENT

Dr. and Mrs. Carson immigrated to Canada in 1949 with their son, John.

John certainly seems to have the "finer mind" spoken of by his father, for ranked among the top 10 per cent of students

across America he goes up to his father's old College at Oxford with "senior status" to read Modern Greats.

He already has his B.A. and young John eventually aims at a doctor of philosophy degree. Married to the former Marilyn Drummond Taylor who will go to England with him, John's course begins in October.

"The whole family is looking forward to a marvellous year," said Dr. Carson. "I'm most grateful for the grant and the opportunity to work with my colleagues in Britain."

Dr. Carson stared out his window but he didn't seem to be looking at anything. He was standing in a room in Victoria, but his inner gaze was in Athens. Or was it ancient Thebes?



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## Name Dessert For Canadian

LONDON (CPI)—Baron Thomson of Fleet, who says his favorite food is spaghetti, has had a specially-created pineapple dessert named for him by the Savoy Hotel.

The dish, ananas medaille d'or du Roy, was first made for a luncheon at which the Canadian-born publisher presented gold and silver medals for media research.

"I am very fond of pineapple in that form," said Lord Thomson, whose first name is Roy. "But I was very surprised when they told me they wanted to name it after me. My favorite food is really spaghetti, but I have to watch my weight so I can't have that any more."

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Mrs. Norman Nelson pictured here with her children (left to right), Jennifer, Galt and small Cathy has just arrived from London to spend a month visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Elkington of 572 Island

Road. The Nelsons have lived in London for about seven years. While Mrs. Nelson stays with her parents, Mr. Nelson is touring the Eastern United States. He is a violinist with the BBC Symphony Orchestra.

## Mrs. Rockefeller Pays Surprise Visit

Mrs. Laurence S. Rockefeller, of New York, paid a brief surprise visit to the YWCA here Friday afternoon while her husband, who is chairman of Rockefeller Brothers Inc., was attending the meeting of board of directors of Resources for the Future, Inc., at the Empress Hotel.

A member of the board of directors of National YWCA in the United States, Mrs. Rockefeller is chairman of the Overseas Division and takes an active interest in the YW. She travels a great deal in connection with her work in the Overseas Division.

During some of her travels she took a number of pictures and wrote a story concerning the work of the YWCA through this division. The story was published in the December, 1964, issue of National Geographic.

During her visit in Victoria Mrs. Rockefeller was taken on a tour of the YW-YW building now under construction.

## Kipling Society

Regular meeting of the Kipling Society will be held Wednesday, April 28 at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Miss O. Wetherston, 637 Linden Avenue.

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## Social and Personal

## Wedding Guests

Mr. and Mrs. D. Fairbairn and Beverly of Winnipeg, Man., and Mrs. N. Calderbank, Vancouver, were among the out-of-town guests at the Brown-Rainford wedding which took place recently in St. Luke's Anglican Church.

## In London

A number of Victorians have been visiting in England recently. Among those signing the book at British Columbia House in London were Mrs. Joy Dykstra, Mrs. P. Bamford, Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Miles and Timothy and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Williamson.



# 1st Bn. Queen's Own Rifles

## With the Troops in Cyprus . . .



Cookies are welcome in any language and these children in village of Pothia on Mediterranean island of Cyprus respond in usual way. Major Len Cross, 213 Anson, watches his driver-radio operator Rfn. Douglas Zwach of Prince Albert make friends with young Turkish-Cypriots.



News of Canada is scarce in Asia Minor and Rfn. Frank Rowe takes advantage of few-days-old copy of The Daily Colonist, first he's seen since he left Work Point, to catch up. He's stationed at outpost in Skylouras village.



One of island's many churches is background for Capt. Allan Way of Christie Point and Rfn. Kenneth Cotton, 933 Gault, driver with Charlie Company, as they pause on patrol through village of Lapithos near Kyrenia.



Capt. Way checks day's orders with Cpl. Henry Chevrier and Rfn. David Orion, both of whom lived at Work Point Barracks. Corporal is in charge of Marine View outpost on north coast of Island. Rfn. Richard Joyes and Albert Barrett of Work Point round out four-man team.



Eating is serious business with any soldiers. Getting ready for evening chow are Rfn. David Amero and Cpl. Terry Burn, both of Work Point. Home now is wooded copse near village of Myrthou in one of most picturesque parts of Cyprus. They're with Bravo Company.

Photographs by  
Don Gain who was recently with the  
Queen's Own Rifles in Cyprus.



Dogs in Cyprus jump into jeeps as soldiers patrol island. Passing over big stick called dog-basher to operations officer Major J. A. Collingwood, 211 Anson, is Major Andrew Maxwell of Whonnock, B.C., of 1st Bn., Canadian Guards.



Queen's Own relieved Canadian Guards, planeload by planeload, as 730 men from Work Point flew from Victoria to Cyprus. Here Rfn. Carl Beattie, Frank Rowe and Dwayne Brennan, all of Work Point, with, in front, leader Cpl. Marty Botbyl, 721 Linden, have settled into outpost in village of Skylouras.



Cpl. Botbyl stands by makeshift altar in front of shattered Turkish-Cypriot house in Skylouras, scene of fierce fighting between Greeks and Turks in December, 1963. Greek women come to pray each morning.



Victoria neighbors chat with Bravo commander Major William Crew, 220 Anson, second from left, during lull in duties at command post near Myrthou. They are, from left, S.Sgt. John Cresswell, 915 Bewdley; Rfn. Kenneth Cotton, 933 Gault and Sgt. Alfred Dorman, 935 Gault.



## Clubs and Societies

## BRITISH-ISRAELI

Mr. A. Gorse of Comox will speak on "Travels in the Holy Land" at a meeting of the British-Israeli World Federation Monday, April 26 at 3 p.m. in the Newstead Hall.

## JAMES RAY

James Ray Golden Age Club

will meet Tuesday, April 27 at 2 p.m. in the Niagara Street Hall.

## BRENTWOOD TEA

Brentwood Chapel Women's Auxiliary will hold its annual tea and sale, May 1 at 2:30 p.m. in the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall, West Saanich Road.

Doing The Town  
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Let it rain, let it rain, let it rain . . .

It was raining cats and dogs when we visited Miss Frith's last Monday . . . so naturally enough, their chic hats for rainy days captured our immediate attention . . . Believe us, it's no longer necessary to look a fright when the weather man goofs! There are smart reversible rain hats in navy and light blue . . . black and white . . . brown and gold . . . brimmed to keep the rain out of your eyes . . . \$7.98 well invested, we'd say! . . . Real fetching are the visored kerchief-type rain hats in smooth, silky poplin . . . cheerful shades of pink, yellow, blue and beige . . . Pert young things will flip over the "little boy" caps of simulated leather, treated to be water repellent . . . only \$3.98 . . . Also treated to be impervious to everything short of a deluge are the stitched bengaline hats in various shapes and colors . . . Just the thing for travel, too . . . you can roll them up and put them in your pocket . . . And for days when the sun is smiling . . . Miss Frith's have some of the dreamiest flowered, shapous and airy brimmed organzias we've ever laid eyes on . . . These organzias are very new this year . . . completely feminine and bequiling . . . Miss Frith Millinery & Fashions, 1617 Douglas St., EV 4-912.

Givenchy's "fore-shoulder bared" theme is carried out even in an ensemble for dressy daytime wear . . . A twilled brown and white print dress wrapped close to the body and tied on the hip . . . right shoulder bared. With it, an oval-back jacket.

Coats with the smart "Victoria" look . . .

It's no secret that the various sections of this vast country of ours each have their own special "looks" when it comes to the matter of dress . . . dictated by climate as well, as by temperament, tempo and favorite mode of life of the people who dwell therein . . . Here on the West Coast it's the casual, tailored look . . . which doesn't mean that our women aren't, on occasion, as high-styled as any on the continent . . . Simply that the backbone and mainstays of our wardrobes are the good, well-tailored, like the English hand-tailored sportswear we saw at Wilson's this week . . . in typically English materials like West of England tweeds . . . muted plaids and checks in lovely misty colors . . . impeccably tailored on classic lines . . . with raglan or set-in sleeves . . . Such a coat is never dated . . . travels confidently anywhere in the world . . . lasts practically forever! . . . The sort of coat no well-dressed woman would dream of being without! . . . And as a complement . . . and to wear with innumerable other outfits . . . the new Liberty and Jacquard scarves from England are superlative . . . Big pure silk squares in heavenly colors and myriad designs . . . This scarf shipment has just newly arrived and there's a tremendous choice . . . so drop in soon and browse amongst them . . . W & J Wilson Limited, 1221 Government St., 283-7177.

Some of the new lingerie has the look of the Twenties . . . Knickerbockers, trim and embroidery, worn with a similarly adorned undershirt.

Foot-prints from Italy . . .

The carefree season is rapidly approaching . . . time to bare your feet to sunshine and fresh air . . . give them soft, relaxed covering for all casual occasions . . . Mr. Munday was showing us their new shipment of canvas shoes and sandals . . . just arrived from Italy . . . and believe us, they're wonderfully pretty as well as practical . . . with that unmistakable Continental look . . . The casuals, or play shoes, are really burlap rather than canvas . . . in gay colors like red, gold, jade green, natural . . . crepe rubber soles, slightly aquarish toe, rope trim around the bottom . . . These come in two styles . . . a one-eyelet tie, and a slip-on . . . priced at \$2.95 and \$6.95 respectively (the latter style may also be had in black) . . . There's a really nice range of Italian sandals . . . Bandothos with crepe rubber soles . . . leather straps, arranged in various interesting ways . . . Dark brown bone and red . . . the latter color especially pretty . . . \$9.95 . . . Amalfi sandals have leather soles, and cushy foam rubber insoles . . . coffee brown, sahara, oyster (which is really white) . . . One called "Esopo" has a high Roman front . . . other styles have plain or braided leather straps . . . "Delta" has a little covered heel, if you prefer a bit of height . . . Priced at \$11.95 and \$12.95 . . . Monday's, 1203 Douglas St., EV 3-2211.

Toss out your diets and learn to frug (other adaptations known as the frog, monkey, jerk, swim, dog shake and mashed potato) . . . said to be fabulous for streamlining the figure!

An outstanding silver exhibition at Birks . . .

Don't on any account miss dropping by Birks between now and next Thursday . . . to feast your eyes on their current exhibition of modern and antique sterling silver hollowware . . . from France, England, Italy and Spain . . . along with a few exclusive pieces from Birks' own craftsmen . . . It's a remarkable collection . . . the sort of thing that doesn't come our way too often . . . and Birks are understandably proud of being able to show it at their stores throughout Canada . . . If you love beautiful things . . . masterpieces of artistry and craftsmanship . . . it will delight you, as it did us . . . There are bowls, candelabra, wine coolers, complete tea and coffee services, soup tureens, complete three piece dishes . . . plus numerous other objects exquisitely shaped, embossed and chased . . . Some are adorned with sculptured mythical and heraldic figures . . . encrusted with lapis lazuli, malachite and aerie in various colors . . . All are of the finest sterling silver, and are mostly one of a kind . . . As you may have suspected, they're pretty costly too . . . but every piece is for sale . . . Indeed a number have already been sold while the exhibition was in Halifax and Montreal . . . We're really lucky to see it so intact before it winds its way back across Canada . . . Birks Jewellers, 706 Yates St., 382-4241.

A shiny double-knit dress of pink-dotted cotton has long white fishnet sleeves; textured stockings exactly matching the dress in color and pattern.

Laces for Mr's important days . . .

Graduation days are looming in the horizon . . . wedding bells will be ringing out for many in the months ahead . . . and we don't need to tell those involved in these joyous occasions that now is not a minute too soon to start preparations for the all-important gowns . . . It doesn't take much imagination to visualize charming . . . or even magnificent . . . creations when you see the new fabric at St. Sab's . . . To our mind, the laces . . . imported from France and Switzerland . . . present infinite possibilities . . . All we can tell you is that they're completely beautiful . . . There's a real Chantilly . . . delicate and ethereal . . . Alencons Gulpures, re-embroidered laces of all kinds . . . For graduation dresses we especially recommend a dainty nylon lace which is extra wide (54") and costs only \$1.98 a yard! . . . In the "magnificent" class is a very exclusive French sequined lace . . . The general color effect is palest pink . . . but it's iridescent and picks up any color you care to team with it . . . Expensive . . . \$35 a yard . . . but unbelievably beautiful . . . and you wouldn't need much . . . The other laces run from \$9.98 to \$11.58 . . . Nothing richer looking nor more universally becoming . . . Hahn Bros. Limited, 1120 Douglas St., EV 4-0661.

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Delegates attending the 46th Grand Post Session of the Native Daughters of British Columbia were entertained at tea Saturday afternoon by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pearkes. Among the 200 invited guests at the affair at Government House were, from left to right, Mrs. C. A. Mackie

of New Westminster, the new grand factor; Mrs. J. Sullivan, chief factor of Victoria Post and Miss Lillian Smethurst, past grand factor and chairman of Grand Post committee, pictured with their hostess Mrs. Pearkes and pet poodle Binkie.—(William A. Boucher)

## Justice-Vinen

Bride and Groom  
Lead First Waltz

Baskets of pink and white gaidolus, stocks and narcissus were at the altar of St. Alban's United Church for the candle-light ceremony Saturday evening at which Donna Jo-Anne Vinen became the bride of Mr. James David Justice.

Rev. A. G. McLeod officiated at the double-ring wedding for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Vinen, 1664 Derby Road, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Justice, 1419 Mount Douglas Cross Road. Mrs. Vera Barclay was organist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of silk tulle with a controlled full skirt. The fitted bodice of chantilly lace featured a scalloped Sabrina neckline and long point sleeves. Encircling the empire waistline was a pleated bandeau forming a tiny bridal bow from which a wattleau train flowed. The bride's softly flared

veil of silk illusion net was held in place by a crown of chastity lace and seed pearls. She carried a cascade of pink Rapture roses and stephanotis.

Shrimp pink sheath gowns of organza over tulle with flower trimmed short overskirts were worn by the bridesmaids, the Misses Carolyn McAllister and Cathie Watson. They wore net and floral headpieces on tone and carried cascade bouquets of white carnations. Their only jewelry was sterling silver bracelets, gift of the bride.

Mr. Gary Scates was best man. Ushering were Mr. Donald Wilson and Mr. James Stuen.

Mr. Charles Taylor presented the toast to the bride at a reception in the War Amputations Hall, Oak Bay. Centering the head table was a three-tiered pink and white cake, made and decorated by the groom's mother. Bride and groom danced the first waltz leading off the dance which followed the reception.

The newlyweds left for a honeymoon trip to California and on their return will make their home at 1465 Fort Street.

For travelling the bride chose a three-piece turquoise knit suit and white floral hat. She wore white accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Here for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. William Hewett, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Mrs. A. Miller and Mr. Brian Miller, Winnipeg; Mrs. J. Crowley, Mrs. D. Crowley, Mrs. A. Birch, Mrs. G. Beggs and Miss Joanne Beggs, all of Lawson, Sask.; Mr. R. Varney and Mrs. Ken Hewett, Vancouver; Mrs. M. Varney, Ladner, B.C.; Miss Catherine McKay, Okanagan Mission, B.C.; Mrs. William Scates and the Misses D. and N. Scates, Cobble Hill, B.C.

Mrs. Clark  
Speaker

At a recent meeting held at Hollywood House of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the United Commercial Travelers of America, the new senior counselor, Mrs. Warren George was in the chair assisted by fellow officers Mrs. W. Gornall, Mrs. G. A. Shepherd, Mrs. A. Weydert and Mrs. A. Westaway.

Committee reports were read of the year's projects which included helping to clothe two children from the Orphanage and assisting with the activities of pupils from the School for the Retarded by volunteer services. During the past year the Ladies' Auxiliary has donated the sum of \$110.00 to the School for the Retarded to help further the work at the Centre.

At the joint meeting of the Men's Council and the Ladies' Auxiliary which followed, Mrs. W. Clark, Executive Director of the Greater Victoria School for the Retarded, was guest speaker.

Mrs. Clark illustrated her message with many color slides showing the retarded participating in the many different handicrafts at the Centre. Following a questionnaire period refreshments were served.

## FLOWERS MAKE FOOD

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Bridal  
Shower

A number of parties here and on the Mainland have honored Miss Fran Boughey and her fiancé, Mr. Barry Slader, who are to be married May 1 at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

Mrs. R. B. McElchling and Miss Sue McElchling entertained at a sherry party in honor of Miss Boughey, at which the guest of honor and her mother, Mrs. C. F. Boughey, were presented with corsages of yellow and mauve carnations.

Gifts were concealed in a large basket decorated in Easter colors. Guests included Mrs. C. E. Jacobsen, Mrs. Howard Mackay, Mrs. J. H. Brice, Mrs. Dewar Callahan of Richmond, B.C., Mrs. Zip Shaffer, Mrs. Darvill Lorimer, Mrs. Frank Davey and the Misses Diane Boughey, Mary Ringstad, Patt Loft and Eileen Jacobsen.

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Victoria Exhibition  
May 17 - 22

Victoria Exhibition, May 17-22, will again be having the home baking competition. This was first introduced to the exhibition last year and proved a popular event.

Convenor this year is Mrs. Doug Webb, assisted by Mrs. Hank Taylor, Mrs. Bert Belfie, Mrs. Jack Schadelee and Mrs. Vic Tubman.

The home baking competition will have approximately 50 categories in the adult division including a separate division for boys and girls aged 12 to 16. Cash prizes and ribbons will be awarded in each category. Judging for the adult division will be by Mr. C. J. Schadelee on May 20 between 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.

Mr. J. A. Small will judge the children's division.

Entry forms may be secured by phoning 477-4342 or 386-1004.

Donation Tea  
May 6

Annual spring linen shower and donation tea will be held by Ladies' Committee to B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home on May 6, from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., at the Home, corner of Hillside and Cook Street.

The children will sing old favorites during the afternoon.

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Dear Readers: All my life I've been self-conscious because dozens of women have told me how easy it is to make a good pie-crust and I've never been able to do it. When I confessed this in print and asked for a "sure-fire" recipe I got more than I bargained for. Now I feel like an idiot. More than 5,000 women wrote to say, "It's simple!"—and they sent me their "sure-fire" recipes to prove it. Here are some random samples:

From Marge O. of Hayward, Calif.: "I struggled for years until my neighbor gave me her secret. Use cold milk. It can't fail."

Mrs. J. D. R. of Wilmette, Ill.: "I'll bet you've been having flops because some moron told you to use cold milk. Use boiling water."

Alice of Wichita, Kan.: "For years my family ate the filling out of my pies and left the crust. When even the dog refused to eat the crust I decided to do something about it. I made up my own recipe by trial and error. Since I switched from shortening to vegetable oil I've never had a failure. Now my family eats the crust and leaves the filling. Do you have a good recipe for a 'sure-fire' filling?"

E. V. of Nampa, Idaho: "So your pie-crust is bulletproof? Well, mine is foolproof. The secret is to add one teaspoon of vinegar. My mother-in-law taught me this trick."

Mrs. A. R. of Newark, N.J.: "You gave me some very good advice four years ago and now it is a privilege to help you. I have never had anyone this but the secret of my light-as-a-feather pie-crust is that I do not roll it with my hands. I use my elbows. It takes longer but it's worth it."

Adelle of Yonkers, N.Y.: "I'll bet you can't make a good crust because your religion prohibits the use of lard. If I am right you should give up already because lard is the only thing to use and nothing else can take its place."

Mrs. D. W. L. of Port Arthur, Ontario: "Don't forget the egg. It's very important."

Helen R. of Miami, Fla.: "Don't forget that pinch of salt. It makes all the difference in the world."

Mrs. L. P. of Davenport, Iowa: "I certainly hope you are using double action baking powder. It took me years to catch on to this trick."

Mrs. Phillips W. of Owensboro, Ky.: "My great grandmother bought this recipe from a chef in a fine New York restaurant for \$50. I am sending it to you because I enjoy your column so much. Don't balk when it comes to the lemon juice. That could be the secret ingredient."

Aunt Lottie of Burlington, Vt.: "I'll bet you've been washing your rolling pin. Well, don't! Wipe it with a damp cloth. This may be what is spoiling your crusts."

Mrs. R. of Birmingham, Ala.: "Throw away your rolling pin. Ann, and use two stainless steel knives."

From No Name Please of Grand Forks, N.D.: "For years everyone raved about my pie-crust and begged for the recipe. I couldn't tell them my REAL secret but I'm going to tell you. Ann, because you are my friend. The secret is rolling the crust with complete freedom of movement. I put my whole body into it. This means I must take off everything and bake in the nude. You may print this if you want to."

Dear No Name: I am printing it, but with no personal recommendation. I haven't recovered from the women who did their house cleaning in the nude!

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## Two-Day Affair

## CAC Meets

## Wednesday

Annual meeting of the B.C. Consumers' Association of Canada will be held in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company April 28 and 29. Registration will start at 9 a.m. Wednesday followed by reports and resolutions with election of officers to be held in the afternoon.

Hon. F. N. Richter, minister of agriculture, will be guest speaker at the banquet to be held in the Tally-Ho Travelodge starting at 7 p.m.

Guest speaker at the Thursday morning session will be Mrs. Kathy South who will give a talk entitled, "It's Your Move."

Other speakers during the morning will be Dr. W. Pernaowski, Faculty of Pharmacy, University of British Columbia and Miss Doris Noble, consumer consultant, National Health and Welfare Department.



Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Frewing, 1439 Pembroke Street, announce the forthcoming marriage of their eldest daughter, Darlene Grace, to Const. Randall Keith Larsen, RCMP, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Larsen, 1265 Montrose Avenue. The wedding will take place at 7 p.m., Saturday, May 1, in Oaklands Chapel.

Mr. Huron Sheppard will officiate. Miss Frewing is a graduate from the class of '63, Royal Jubilee Hospital. Her fiancé is stationed in Wetaskiwin, Alta., with the RCMP. — (Photo of Miss Frewing by Chapman).



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## MARRIAGES

GUYAN-FAWCEIT: The marriage

of Guyan Fawcett and Louise

Fawcett, daughter of Mr. (Minnie)

Fawcett, 123 Franklin Terrace,

and the late Guy Fawcett, took

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## DEATHS AND FUNERALS

SYMES: Alice, passed away in

Victoria, B.C., on April 23, 1965,

in her 74th year. Born in

Victoria, B.C., she was the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H.

Symes. She was married to

Mr. J. H. Symes, who prede-

ceased her. She is survived

by her husband, Mr. J. H.

Symes, who predeceased her.

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# Island Lockout Predicted If Mainland Truckers Strike

First Meeting of Kind

## Labor, Farmer Face Same Problem

DUNCAN—The first farmer-labor conference ever held on Vancouver Island decided Saturday the two groups have a common problem — and it should be investigated further.

Representatives of many Island centres attended the exploratory conference held in the Knights of Pythias Hall to determine farmers' problems and present labor's position in relation to the problems.

A committee of members of several farm and labor groups was formed to continue a study of all issues.

William Taylor of Saanich, president of the Island Milk Producers' Association, which sponsored the meeting, said the committee will seek closer farmer co-operation with the labor movement.

**NO INCREASE**  
Mr. Taylor and association secretary C. T. Bulman of Nanaimo told the meeting farmers have not received an increase in milk prices in 10 years.

Canadian Labor Congress representative Gordon Wilkinson of Vancouver said unions

are "greatly concerned" about the low income and wages of farmers.

E. P. O'Neal, secretary-treasurer of the B.C. Federation of Labor, said unions are prepared to give technical help to farmers who are organizing.

One way labor can help is by giving publicity to farmers' problems in the union press throughout B.C.

**ORGANIZE SELVES**  
Mr. O'Neal said his personal opinion is that farmers should organize themselves to solve their problems.

Tom Gooderham of Vancouver, regional CLC representative, said CLC policy is to create a feeling of understanding between farmers and labor.

**JOINT PROJECT**  
He said labor "is working for a joint representation to bring prices up to a position where they will raise the farmer's standard of living."

Teamsters' joint council president Ed Lawson of Vancouver said Saturday pickets may be up in front of 21 trucking firms in Vancouver tonight, and a lockout on Vancouver Island may follow.

He said the union served 48-hour strike notice last week but set no date for strike at more than 40 firms in Vancouver, Heaney's and Dowell's in Victoria and West Coast Freight in Nanaimo.

Following this, said Mr. Lawson, 21 of the larger firms in the Vancouver area set a lock-out time for 5 p.m. today.

"This will throw the men out on the street, and they will then be picketing."

**NOT ON STRIKE**  
But he added, "They will not be on strike. Their placards will say they have been locked out."

While he said no lockout notice has been served on the Island, he commented, "One of the Vancouver firms giving notice is Johnson Terminals, parent firm of Heaney's."

Mr. Lawson said the union has an indication that, if the lockout goes into effect, it will be followed by a lockout on the Island.

A Heaney's official in Victoria said he knew nothing about a lockout.

**1,400 ON STREET**  
Mr. Lawson said the expected lockout in Vancouver would put 1,400 men "on the street."

He pointed out an industry-wide tie-up will be the first since 1919, when the industry was shut down by a walkout in sympathy with the general strike in Winnipeg.

**SEPARATE TALKS**  
He confirmed that one of the three Island companies has asked for separate negotiations.

"We felt it would not be fair to take advantage of them by splitting them up."

Mr. Lawson said "no negotiations are in progress, and none is anticipated."

### Log Race

## Visitors Take Yacht Honors

Mainland yachtsmen took first, second and third places in the sixth annual Gulf of Georgia predicted log race Saturday.

Bill Anderson of Burrard Yacht Club took first place in his vessel, the Andromeda. His error was 1.326 per cent.

Len Sewell in the Dorian, of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, was second.

Norm Dobney in Coral Mist, of New Westminster's Royal City Yacht Club, was third.

**66 ENTRIES**  
Top Vancouver Island entry was Jim Beattie of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, who captured his boat, the Boken, to a 2.174 per cent error.

The race was from Nanaimo to Jimmy Jones Island, off Cadboro Bay. There were 66 entries.

The one event which marred the day, at least for the race committee, happened in Gabriola Channel just outside Nanaimo harbor.

The race committee boat's engine broke down and the vessel struggled to Victoria on an auxiliary.



Pause during 4-H visit in Cobble Hill sees T. M. Thomson, left, and R. K. Salmon of Saanich lamb club holding on to farm favorites while Betty Hanney, 11, visitor from Maple Ridge, looks elsewhere for excitement. —(Jean Bain)

### Farms, Cruise

## A Busy Weekend For 4-H Visitors

DUNCAN—Seventeen members of a Maple Ridge 4-H club will conclude a busy two days on Vancouver Island at 3 p.m. today when they catch the ferry from the Victoria area for home.

The sheep club members arrived on the Island Friday and were billeted with members of the Saanich 4-H lamb club.

**PAIR OF FARMS**  
The visitors and 20 Saanich club members travelled to the Cowichan Valley Saturday to visit two farms.

First they toured the farm of Duncan district agriculturist Kenneth Jameson on Maple Bay Road. Then they travelled to the Malahat View farm of Mr. and Mrs. Hamish Sibbald on Chapman Road here.

The Sibbalds provided lunch, then gave a brief course on the judging of sheep, using their own ewes and rams.

Club leader Sid Smethurst and assistant leader A. M. Gahraith led the Saanich group, which included several parents of members. A. W. Arnold was the Maple Ridge leader.

**GOVERNMENT HOUSE**  
The visitors later Saturday inspected Government House in Victoria, then were guests at a party held by the Saanich lamb, beef and Holstein 4-H clubs.

This morning the young people will be taken on a cruise of Esquimalt harbor, followed by lunch in Beacon Hill Park, before returning home.

## Gas Station Attendant Fourth Slain

SEATTLE (AP) — A young service station attendant was shot to death Saturday, the fourth in a series of strikingly similar coldblooded slayings.

James Harp, 22, was shot in the head with a small calibre weapon shortly before dawn in the gasoline station where he was on duty alone. Money was missing.

The same fate, under almost the same circumstances, overtook Daniel Wolf, 19, on April 12; Owen Fair, 35, on March 26, and Tod Cain, 46, last Aug. 12.

All four of the overnight service station men were killed by someone who found them alone. Each time money was taken.

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### Cowichan Valley Crashes

## Investigating Mountie Among Victims

DUNCAN—Four people were taken to King's Daughters' Hospital Saturday night following a pair of spectacular traffic accidents in the Cowichan Valley.

Two of them were hurt at 8:15 p.m. when a northbound car went out of control on the Trans-Canada Highway a few miles south of Mill Bay, hit a guardrail, went through it and skidded down a 25-foot embankment.

**HIT BUMP CAR**  
The others were injured about 8:20 p.m. on the highway nine miles south of Duncan when a car plowed into the rear of an RCMP car while the constable was investigating a third mishap.

The constable, Dennis McDonald of Duncan, was knocked to the pavement but suffered only bruises and did not need hospital treatment.

**NANAIMO MAN**  
The two people involved in the Mill Bay area crash, which was investigated by the Shawigan Lake RCMP detachment, were

identified as Harley Holwin of 2890 Glenayre Drive in Nanaimo and his daughter, Mrs. Robin Farrell of Vancouver.

Mr. Holwin was treated and released but last reports said Mrs. Farrell was kept in hospital. Nature of her injuries was not known.

**CAR WRECKED**  
The car, operated by Mr. Holwin, was wrecked.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Diakow of Port Renfrew suffered chest injuries in the 8:20 accident, which occurred near Hutchinson Road. It was not known if their injuries were serious.

The accident which Const. McDonald was investigating occurred on the same straight stretch of highway about 8:25.

**NOTES LOCKED IN**  
No information on this accident was available since the constable's notes were in the police car, which was locked immediately after the second accident and taken to a garage.

However, it was known no one was hurt in the 8:25 mishap.

Police said the flashing red light on Const. McDonald's vehicle was operating at the time of the later collision.

## Crash Report Believed Hoax

JOLIETTE (UPI) — Quebec Provincial Police are beginning to suspect that the report of a plane crash near Joliette, Que., is a hoax.

Two helicopters and more than 15 police searched the area Saturday afternoon where callers had told police by telephone they saw one motor of a twin-engine plane burst into flames and plunge to the ground.

## Truck Dives Into River

TERRACE (UPI) — An American truck driver narrowly escaped injury Saturday when the semi-trailer unit he was driving crashed through a guard rail and plunged into the Skeena River, 42 miles west of here.

R. L. Sticker, Bellevue, Wash., said the shoulder of the road broke away, throwing the unit into the river.

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### 'Building for Yesterday'

## Five-Year Plan Urged for Schools

The Greater Victoria School board will petition the education department for permission to have the next referendum on five-year projections rather than the present three-year projection.

"We shouldn't be in a state where we are building for yesterday's needs," said trustee Peter Bunn, buildings and grounds committee chairman. "We should be building for tomorrow's needs."

Earlier Mr. Bunn said the education department philosophy

of school building forces the board to construct monstrosities. "The plaster on an addition is hardly dry before a new addition is necessary," he said.

He claimed far from putting frills in schools, the education department forces "shoddy" school construction.

He pointed to the addition being built onto Brasfoot school, to replace Cedar Hill school.

He felt a substantial addition should be built instead of "three piddly little rooms and an administrative centre which will be filled in September."

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The bodies of two men and two women were found after the Lady D, out of Detroit, docked at the Sarnia Yacht Club.

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# Only the Referees Could See

By BOB PETHICK

In a dimly lit room all that could be heard was the shuffling of cards.

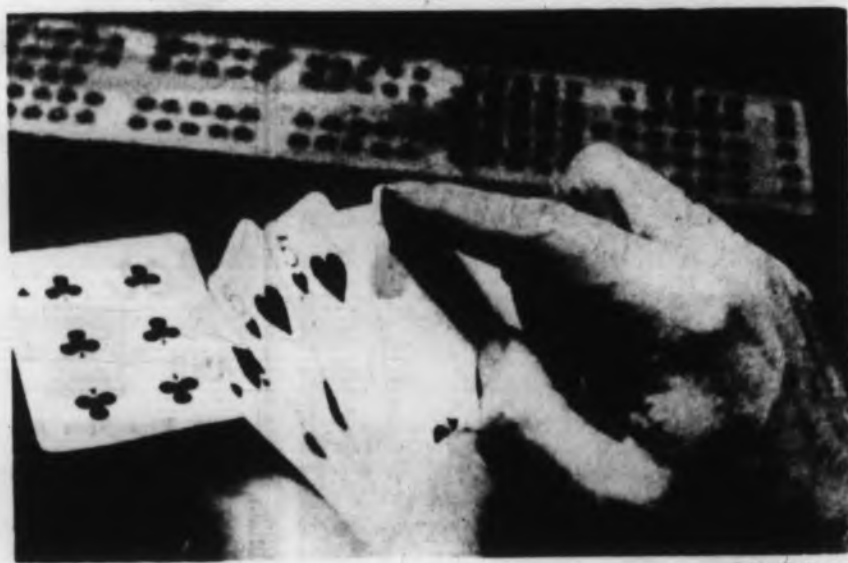
Then there would come a moment when the hand was played and people would talk, joke and laugh.

Once more silence—the shuffling of cards—and concentration.

There wasn't the grim atmosphere of a gambling house, but rather a feeling of kinship which the people playing this particular game were entitled to feel.

They have the greatest feeling of kinship in the world—they are all blind.

At the close of each game in this B.C. cribbage championship, the players would sit back and discuss the honors and the



Fingers read Braille cards

good plays, and congratulate the victors.

The lights were dim because no one needed lights except the referees, who had full sight and kept score.

In the end, Cal Wood of Vancouver beat out champions from the Okanagan, New Westminster, North Vancouver and Victoria.

Since the game was introduced to blind people by Capt. M. C. Robinson in 1950, it has become one of their major pastimes.

The final game between Alberta champion Albert Brandenberg and Mr. Wood was played Saturday with Mr. Brandenberg the victor.

But who won wasn't the most important thing. So far as the players were concerned, they got together and had a ball and that was what really counted.

## Deduct Municipal Taxes John D. Tells Government

CAMBRIDGE, N.S. (CP)

Opposition Leader Diefenbaker said Saturday night the federal government should allow Canadians to deduct municipal taxes from their taxable income.

Mr. Diefenbaker told a meeting of more than 1,000 people in this Annapolis Valley com-

munity that such a move would encourage home building by young Canadians.

He said the government should also abolish the 11 per cent sales tax on building materials.

The opposition leader gave a wide-ranging review of the federal scene. He said the next

general election, as far as he and the Conservative party were concerned, would be fought on the basis of having a united and not a divided Canada.

He also said "I have never courted popularity. I have never claimed indispensability. I don't say that I am always right. But I have never been on the side of wrong."

## U.S. Businessmen Seek Contacts with China

WASHINGTON (AP)

Policy makers of the United States Chamber of Commerce urged Saturday that the administration explore measures "to more effectively open channels of communication with the people of mainland China."

The resolution in effect, a proposal for first steps toward

a possible easing of the complete embargo on trade with Red China will be presented to businessmen - delegates to the chamber's 53rd annual convention opening here Monday.

Another pending policy statement proposes the repeal of the "Connally Reservation" of 1948, which limits the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice at the Hague.

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## New Legal Hearing May Free Farmer

TORONTO (UPI)—Fred Fawcett, the 50-year-old Owen Sound farmer who has spent three years in a mental hospital, has a new hope for release.

Fawcett, charged with assaulting a tax assessor, was declared unfit to stand trial because of insanity.

However, Vernon Wilcox, 30, of Toronto was released last week from the Ontario hospital at Aurora after a new legal pro-

cedure which will be applied to Fawcett next.

Wilcox who has the mind of a five-year-old, was ruled unfit to stand trial because of insanity on the charge of indecently assaulting a four-year-old girl.

Under the procedure used in his case, a private hearing is held to determine if the evidence against the accused stands up. Then a recommendation is made to the department of health.

Mr. Justice Carl Stewart of the Ontario supreme court presided over the Wilcox hearing and obtained his release through a confidential report to Minister of Health Matthew Dymond.

**NOT POSSIBLE**

Wilcox could be brought up for trial if he is ever judged sane but because he is an unbecome this is impossible, Mr. Justice Stewart said.

Mr. Justice Stewart suggested the English system of trying mentally retarded patients should be introduced into Canadian law.

"In England, evidence is brought against the accused despite the accused's fitness to stand trial, in order to determine whether the crown has a case or not," he said.

## Aim Triumphs Over Crosswinds

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (AP)—George

Cumberledge, an Otark Airlines pilot, fought crosswinds and intermittent rain Saturday to defend successfully his United States tobacco chewing and spitting title.

Cumberledge, St. Louis, edged his closest challenger, Jack Wilson of Jefferson City, Mo., by only two points, 84-82.

There's not much technique to it," said the airplane commander.

Cumberledge, Wilson and Phil Morkle of St. Louis fought down to the last chew and the last contest—shooting over the head backwards for distance.

The pilot hit 16 feet; Wilson, 13. Morkle, who scored 78 points, said it was all part of the game after he shot only a foot.

Judged on their power, accuracy and distance, 30 contestants chewed and spit their way through downwind and upwind tests, spitting at a target on a red-hot pot-bellied stove, through the stove door from 12 feet away and at a rubber ball tossed high in the air.

**WOODLAND HILLS, Calif.**—Film star of the silent days Louise Dresser, 81, has died at the Motion Picture Country Hospital here. She had recently undergone surgery for an intestinal obstruction and was believed to be recovering.

**SAN FRANCISCO**—Author of the best-selling novel One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest, Ken Kesey, 29, was one of 14 people arrested at his La Honda home on narcotics charges, following a raid by San Mateo county sheriff's deputies. Kesey and two others were also charged with resisting arrest.

**WICHITA, Kan.**—The president of the Kansas Teen-Age Safety Association, Gene Beatty, 17, of Wichita, was unable to preside at its annual safe-driving conference. Beatty was taken to hospital with a broken nose suffered when his car struck a parked car. Police charged him with careless driving.

**STIRLING, England**—Mrs. Margaret Mailey found a recipe for curing baldness while browsing through an old cook book and referred it to her friend Archie Halliday, who is losing his hair. "I'm amazed," he said. "It really works." The magic ingredients are heather seed and nettles.

**HOT SPRINGS, Ark.**—Owen Vincent (Onsey) Madden, prohibition era gangster who ruled by terror in New York and



Louise



Ken

New Jersey, has tied here at 73. In his retirement he was next-door neighbor to the chief of police and a generous contributor to charities.

**LOS ANGELES**—Betty Schaefer, 34, Burbank, Calif., was awarded \$5,000 because a veterinarian returned someone else's cat to her instead of her own. She sued the veterinarian after she said the cat chased her around the house and bit her twice.

**VANCOUVER**—In March, 1964, Brian McKenna, 17, a bellboy on the British liner Oriana found a \$100 bill fluttering along the deck. He turned it

in, later learned it had been lost by San Francisco millionaire I. M. Proter—who gave Brian a \$25 reward. The Oriana is again bound for San Francisco, and Brian has an invitation to visit the Proters during the ship's 36-hour lay-over.

**LONDON**—Lord Hives, former chairman of Rolls-Royce has died here after being in a coma for more than two years following a stroke. He was 79.

**LOS ANGELES**—Orchestra leader Nippon Jones and his wife, Helen Grayco, are the defendants in a \$12,985 damage suit filed by an interior decorator. The action, filed in superior court Friday by decorator Dean R. Kukul, charges that he was never fully paid for work he did in the couple's Beverly Hills home in the summer of 1963.

**VENICE, Calif.**—Police say a former electronics man booby-trapped a cigarette lighter that exploded when a small boy found it. The youngster, Robert Capo, 7, lost three fingers from one hand when he flicked the lighter to see if it would work. Booked on suspicion of attempted murder Friday was Sidney A. McMurdo, 36.

**LONDON**—Sir William Butler, owner of eight seaside holiday camps in Britain, has bought Winklesham Moor near Bagshot, Surrey, the home of Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip for two years after their marriage in 1947. Reported price was \$239,300.

## Bilingualism Alarms B.C. Orange Lodge

The Grand Orange Lodge of B.C. "views with alarm" the importance attached to bilingualism and biculturalism.

At the lodge's 75th annual meeting in Victoria Saturday members resolved that they are "diametrically opposed to any change or amendment to the British North America Act to extend the use of the French language beyond its present legal boundaries."

Lodge members supported Bible-reading and the recitation of the Lord's Prayer in B.C. schools.

They also supported a proposed B.C. flag with the Union Jack in one corner and the coat of arms of B.C. on a red background.

The lodge re-elected W. E. Lester, Vancouver, provincial grand master.

Other officers are: E. J. Acherson, Vancouver, deputy grand master; Robert Dailey, Port Alberni, junior deputy grand master; Rev. Harry Berry, White Rock, chaplain; R. D. Jones, Burnaby, grand secretary; H. L. Gregg, Vancouver, grand treasurer; W. L. Bell, Abbotsford, Harold Stubbs, Vancouver, and Kenneth Marshall, Vancouver, grand lecturers; Fred Martin, Victoria, grand marshal; J. H. Ferguson, North Vancouver, and R. A. Ritchey, Vancouver, grand auditors; John Humphries, Victoria, grand secretary, and Charles Carr, Vancouver, grand pianist.

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## Cowichan Area

Wreck,  
Smash  
Hurt  
Four

DUNCAN—Four people were taken to King's Daughters' Hospital Saturday night following a pair of spectacular traffic accidents in the Cowichan Valley.

Two of them were hurt at 6:15 p.m. when a northbound car went out of control on the Trans-Canada Highway, two miles south of Mill Bay, hit a guardrail, went through it and skidded down a 25-foot embankment.

## HOT RCMP CAR

The others were injured about 8:20 p.m. on the highway nine miles south of Duncan when a car plowed into the rear of an RCMP car while the constable was investigating a third mishap.

The constable, Dennis McDonald of Duncan, was knocked to the pavement but suffered only bruises and did not need hospital treatment.

## NANAIMO MAN

The two people involved in the Mill Bay area crash, which was investigated by the Shawinigan Lake RCMP detachment, were identified as Harley Holwin of 2830 Glenayre Drive in Nanaimo and his daughter, Mrs. Robin Farrell of Vancouver.

Mr. Holwin was treated and released but last reports said Mrs. Farrell was kept in hospital. Nature of her injuries was not known.

## CAR WRECKED

The car operated by Mr. Holwin, was wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Diakow of Port Renfrew suffered chest injuries in the 8:20 accident, which occurred near Hutchinson Road. It was not known if their injuries were serious.

The accident which Const. McDonald was investigating occurred on the same stretch of highway about 6:25.

## NOTES LINKED IN

No information on this accident was available since the constable's notes were in the police car, which was locked immediately after the second accident and taken to a garage.

However, it was known no one was hurt in the 6:25 mishap. Police said the flashing red light on Const. McDonald's vehicle was operating at the time of the later collision.



## Old Record Washed Out in Nanaimo

Car washing marathon record of 72 hours set recently by DeMolay members in Alberni Valley was broken when Nanaimo DeMolay group which started soaping at 9 a.m. Wednesday knocked off at 9 p.m. Saturday for

84-hour total. Working at Bruno Clavova's service station to raise funds for organization are, from left, Frank Minchum, Ken Strachan and Keith MacDonald.—(Agnes Flett)

## Duncan Meeting First of Kind

Labor, Farmers Seek  
Solution to Problems

DUNCAN—The first farmer-labor conference ever held on Vancouver Island decided Saturday the two groups have a common problem — and it should be investigated further.

Representatives of many Island centres attended the exploratory conference held in the Knights of Pythias Hall to determine farmers' problems and present labor's position in relation to the problems.

A committee of members of several farm and labor groups

was formed to continue a study of all issues.

William Taylor of Saanich, president of the Island Milk Producers' Association, which sponsored the meeting, said the committee will seek closer farmer co-operation with the labor movement.

## NO INCREASE

Mr. Taylor and association secretary C. T. Bulman of Nanaimo told the meeting farmers have not received an increase in milk prices in 10 years.

Canadian Labor Congress representative Gordon Wilkinson of Vancouver said unions are "greatly concerned" about the low income and wages of farmers.

## TECHNICAL HELP

E. P. O'Neal, secretary-treasurer of the B.C. Federation of Labor, said unions are prepared "to give technical help to farmers who are organizing."

One way labor can help is by giving publicity to farmers' problems in the union press throughout B.C.

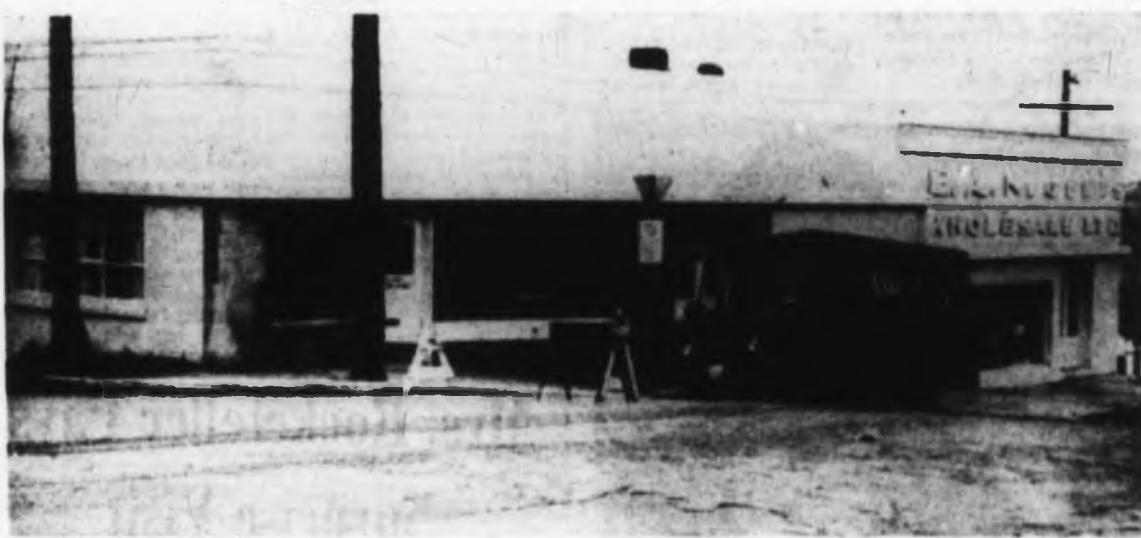
## ORGANIZE SELVES

Mr. O'Neal said his personal opinion is that farmers should organize themselves to solve their problems.

Tom Gooderham of Vancouver, regional CLC representative, said CLC policy is to create a feeling of understanding between farmers and labor.

## JOINT PROJECT

He said labor "is working for a joint representation to bring prices up to a position where they will raise the farmer's standard of living."



Nanaimo harbor deal involves these properties on Front Street.

## Nanaimo Harbor Plan

## Floats to Be Relocated

NANAIMO—Property next to the Bastion bought recently by the Nanaimo harbor commission will be used to enlarge commercial fishing berths. It was announced Saturday.

Commission chairman C. D. Madill declined to state the cost of the three-stage development in the Commercial Inlet area and said negotiations are still proceeding with the federal public works and transport departments.

## WHARF REMOVAL

The first phase will be removal of the existing wharf and warehouse now leased by Northland Navigation Co. The land behind the warehouse will be turned into a parking area.

The second phase will be the replacement of floats at the farmers' landing, carrying on with finger floats through the entrance to Commercial Inlet and establishment of a main float along the new fill area in the city's Gordon Street project.

The third phase will be the removal or replacement, where necessary, of commercial Inlet floats and the relocation of these floats so they run out from the main float along the new road.

Mr. Madill said it is estimated this will double the present capacity of the existing farmers' landing and provide enough berthing space for the towing companies in the area.

It will also be of value to the downtown merchants during the summer months when pleasure vessels could be more centrally located near the downtown shopping area.

Gear lockers, a small crane, water and power outlet meters will be supplied to the floats, and the whole area will be lighted.

Esquimalt Thursday.

Rear Admiral M. G. Stirling, flag officer Pacific coast, leaves Tuesday for a series of meetings at armed forces headquarters in Ottawa. He will return to Esquimalt Thursday.

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She said this points up the need for anti-smoking education in lower grades. Such education now is being given to higher grades in district schools.

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## Haven't Heard of It, Says Firm

Island Lockout Seen  
If Truckers Strike

Teamsters' joint council president Ed Lawson of Vancouver said Saturday pickets may be up in front of 21 trucking firms in Vancouver tonight, and a lockout on Vancouver Island may follow.

## Parksville

Hall Fee  
Low  
Enough

PARKSVILLE—A sympathetic village council has decided the present scale of fees for use of the community hall is as low as it can possibly go.

A delegation from the Parksville recreation commission attended a recent regular meeting of the village council to support a request from a proposed youth club for lower hall rates for club activities.

## TOWN CLUB FIRST

Councillors expressed sympathy with the request but suggested the club be formed first. If the rental fee then proves a hardship, some assistance could probably be given.

A motion was passed allowing the Kinsmen club to complete the lining of the hall as one of its 1965 projects. The cost of materials is included in the new budget.

## CABLEVISION

A study will be made of the effect of cable television on ordinary television reception following a request from a Mainland company to introduce cablevision here.

The sanitation department was authorized to buy a new lock for the gate at the municipal garbage dump.

He said the union served 18-hour strike notice last week but set no date for strike at more than 40 firms in Vancouver, Heaney's and Dowell's in Victoria and West Coast Freight in Nanaimo.

## DEADLINE SET

Following this, said Mr. Lawson, 21 of the larger firms in the Vancouver area set a lockout time for 5 p.m. today.

"This will throw the men out on the street, and they will then be picketing."

## NOT ON STRIKE

But he added, "They will not be on strike. Their placards will say they have been locked out."

While he said no lockout notice has been served on the Island, he commented, "One of the Vancouver firms giving notice is Johnson Terminals, parent firm of Heaney's."

## ACTION HERE

Mr. Lawson said the union has an indication that, if the lockout goes into effect, it will be followed by a lockout on the Island.

A Heaney's official in Victoria said he knew nothing about a lockout.

## 1,100 ON STREET

Mr. Lawson said the expected lockout in Vancouver would put 1,400 men "on the street."

He pointed out an industry-wide tie-up will be the first since 1919, when the industry was shut down by a walkout in sympathy with the general strike in Winnipeg.

## SEPARATE TALKS

He confirmed that one of the three Island companies has asked for separate negotiations. "We felt it would not be fair to take advantage of them by splitting them up."

Mr. Lawson said "no negotiations are in progress, and none is anticipated."

## More Island News

## Turn to Page 37

## Backyard Accident

Little Girl  
Strangled

ALBERNI—A three-year-old Alberni girl was strangled in a backyard accident Saturday morning.

Police said the girl, who had been playing alone, was found by her mother.

The child had apparently been playing on a rose trellis and became caught in a loop of a piece of cloth.

She was released by a neighbor and given mouth-to-mouth

resuscitation, but the revival effort failed.

So did an attempt by the inhalator squad of the Alberni volunteer fire department.

The child's father was at work.

Police said the parents had requested that names be withheld until Sunday's other relatives could be informed.

The girl would have celebrated her fourth birthday in August.

## Courtenay

Chamber Firm  
On Grant Bid

COURTENAY—The Courtenay-Cornox Chamber of Commerce has decided to ignore an "unofficial" report and will ask city council to ask Ottawa for

a grant toward the Courtenay airport.

Chamber members learned at their recent regular meeting council has decided it has gone as far as it is prepared to go in support of the airport, and will toss the problem back in the laps of the Chamber airport committee.

## REPORT UNOFFICIAL

But the information came in an "unofficial" report so the Chamber will ignore it until an official notification is received from council.

President David Jesse and secretary-treasurer Heather Hooper of the Courtenay bowmen's archery club asked the Chamber to sponsor the club's bid to stage the Pacific Northwest archery tournament here in 1966.

## TWO-DAY EVENT

The two-day July event is likely to attract between 300 and 350 archers from B.C., Alberta, Alaska, Washington, Idaho, Oregon and Hawaii.

The archers said Lewis Park would be needed for about five days—two to set up about 50 huts, two for the tourney and one to clean up.

## INAUGURAL RUN

Chamber officials said all members and others planning to go on the inaugural Cornox-Powell River ferry run May 19 should be at the Elks' hall at 10 a.m.

There will be brief opening ceremonies before the trip, which ends in Powell River at 11:50 a.m., when the Chamber there will stage a luncheon.

## SHORT CRUISE

Between 2:30 and 3:30, Powell River people will go on a short cruise aboard the Cornox Queen while Courtenay-Cornox visitors will enjoy a sightseeing tour of the Powell River area.

The Chamber contest to choose a painting for the ferry's main lounge so far has 19 entries.

The Chamber voted to spend \$700 on a new map and signs for the tourist bureau along with repainting of the bureau.

Pioneer  
Fisher  
Dies

PORT ALBERNI—One of the pioneer fishermen of this district, Duncan Kerr, died Friday in West Coast General Hospital at 67.

Born in Ayrshire, Scotland, he came here in 1910 and followed the fishing industry until his retirement in 1953. Funeral services will be held in Stevens' chapel at 2 p.m. Monday.

## Nanaimo

Group to Evaluate  
Interior Tour Data

NANAIMO—Businessmen and city officials who toured three interior cities last week will get together at city hall Tuesday for a "brainstorming" session.

Haig Burns, chairman of the Independent Retailers Association, said, "Once our ideas have been recorded, our responsibility will be over for the time being."

"The record of what we saw and experienced will be turned over to the appropriate authorities for further action."

Mr. Burns and about 20 other Nanaimo merchants spent Tuesday and Wednesday meeting businessmen and touring business sections of Kamloops, Kelowna and Penticton.

## THREE CENTRES

The purpose of the tour was to determine what "these three progressive centres are doing to promote their downtown areas."

Mr. Burns said, "We did have our eyes opened and learned that other communities in the province are very progressive. If we can put into practice some of the ideas we saw, our trip will have been successful and of value to our city."

Those who went on the tour have been invited to a meeting

at city hall Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. to express their opinions and record items of interest on the trip.

Obstetrician  
Warns of Drugs

WINNIPEG (CP)—An American obstetrician has warned against uncontrolled use of any drugs during pregnancy.

Dr. Alice Peterson, director of maternal and child health for the North Dakota government, said strict control should be exercised by doctors, nurses and expectant mothers themselves in using drugs during pregnancy.

Dr. Peterson told an obstetrics symposium here Friday that little is known about the possibility of side effects of drugs on the unborn human and utmost care was necessary.

Additional Power Unit  
Going to Port Hardy

Power generating facilities serving Port Hardy and Alert Bay will be increased by one-third this summer, B.C. Hydro officials announced Saturday.

A 1,000-kilowatt diesel generating unit will be added at a cost of \$250,000 to the power plant at Port Hardy, which has a present capacity of 1,800 kilowatts.

The generating station in Alert Bay has a 1,200-kilowatt capacity and the two plants, linked by a 20-mile transmission line, work together to serve both communities.

The addition is expected to be in service in time to meet an increased power demand next winter due to the residential and industrial growth of the north Island.

## U.S. Ship Coming

USS Interpreter, a radar picket ship, will visit the RCN's Pacific Command April 30 to May 5.











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**THIS IS THERESA, with the bonnet she got for Easter. Theresa, two-and-a-half, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Fayal, 1898 Grandview Road. —WILLIAM BOUCHER.**



## A Romance of the 90s

When Harold Wilson wrote to his friend "Amy" in Victoria more than a half-century ago, he never dreamed that his letters would linger on as a bit of West Coast history. At that time he'd probably have had a fit at the idea—but today he's given his permission for their publication.

They were found in an attic where "Amy" had hidden them.

Last week he wrote wistfully of events in Victoria, and of efforts to get something more like home living conditions in the north. Now he's wondering when he'll next get down for a visit in Victoria.

# ONLY FOUR GIRLS CAME TO DANCE

. . . and the Party was a Failure

Oct. 18, 1899

Third of Four Parts  
by ERITH M. SMITH

DEAR AMY:

*What was the event you were so mysterious over in your last letter? It's a mean thing to go and arouse a fellow's curiosity and then tell him you might let him know what it was some day. That means never, I know.*

There seem to have been warm times what with weddings, deaths and so forth in Vic. lately.

I had some nice nuggets which I chose especially for stickpins, sent them out the other day, but I kept a pretty one for you. It will make a nice stickpin and will make up for the other one of yours that I lost. I'll keep it until they tell me whether I am going home or not this winter.

If not, will have to send it to Skagway to be made into a pin and will reach you in time to be a Christmas present. That sounds far off yet though, doesn't it?

You asked me when my birthday happened. It comes on Nov. 15, not so far off. This one will make me 19.

You said you might go over to Seattle in your letter. Suppose by this time you are over there and enjoying yourself. It seems queer but I have never been over there myself although it is so close to home.

Somebody told me the other day some of the boys in Vic. have been getting into trouble by going on a spree when they went over to Vancouver to play lacrosse. Is it true? They ought to have more sense and get over it before getting home.

Bicycling is about over now isn't it? I've seen only one this summer. You should have seen the people stare at it when it was wheeled through town.

A letter has just arrived from Vic. telling me of some horrible murders committed there lately.

Well Amy, it is getting late now and I can't think of anything else to say so will cork up and sneak off to bed. You don't know what a comfort it is to think the room will be nice and warm when you get up in the morning, for we have moved into our new building and it is a peach for warmth compared to the old barn we have been put up in all summer.

Yours very sincerely,

HAROLD

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Dec. 6, 1899

DEAR AMY:

I hope by the time this reaches you the effects of the shock caused by the old dame asking if you were converted will have worn off considerably. There is no need to ask me if I think you need any reforming. You know as well as myself what I think.

There is no chance of my reaching Vic. this winter so I am sending

to Robert a little present for you that I wish it would have been possible to have given you myself, but there is no use growling.

With dances and farewell dinners we are having a rather warm time of it in Bennett at present. Capt. Rant, the stipendiary magistrate, had a farewell banquet given in his honor last night. The consequence is that a bank holiday was declared: no business today.

We are having an easy time of it at present as far as work is concerned, sitting in the office reading most of the time during biz. hours. The work on the railway grade is being carried on down the lake. Every now and then the town is startled by a tremendous report from the blasting out of a bluff of rock they are cutting through. In fact you can imagine what a shock it gives when I tell you that two lamps in a tent went out, simply from the shock of the blast.

You will have been in Vic. some time no doubt before this reaches you, going out to dances and all the rest of it. You owe me four dances from the last Ivy Leaf kick-up. I'll

have to collect those on the earliest opportunity.

You have my best wishes for a Merry Christmas and hope you will not entirely forget somebody in the North who wishes with all his heart he wasn't.

Sincerely,  
HAROLD

Feb. 3, 1900

DEAR AMY:

The silk handkerchief and souvenir book arrived a few days ago. I was awfully pleased to get them and wore the handkerchief that very evening to a dance with the H sticking prominently out of my breast pocket. As you said in your letter it is hard to thank a person by writing but anyway you understand.

I am glad you liked the pin.

This place has been dead for a month. The trains were snowbound. The rotary, that is an engine that clears the track of snow, is always breaking down and for three weeks we never saw a train.

There were about two hundred people down at the station when the rotary came in at last.

I will be ready to graduate as a housekeeper when I get through here. I bet you can't give me any tips about sewing buttons on, darning socks, etc. The last is my forte.

I can sit and darn socks for hours and never come any nearer mending the hole.

Talking about sewing reminds me there is a split in a seam on the back of my best (and only) coat. It was there at the last dance and all the girls were getting their fingers in it and making it worse, until at last I left out of very shame of being called "Old Rags."

We have an average of two or three dances a week now. It has become a regular thing now. I tell you, it comes pretty expensive every month.

I don't suppose I will get down to Vic. again till next summer anyway unless the bank does not give me a raise of salary, in which case I won't stay with them any longer but make for home and chance getting another situation.

Yours sincerely,  
HAROLD

(Covering letter)

DEAR ROBERT:

Will you please give this to Amy? I wrote you last night so there's nothing to say.

Yours truly,  
HAROLD P. WILSON  
Manager  
(I don't think)

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LAKE BENNETT: "Work on the railway grade is being carried on down the lake . . ."



# O, to be in Winnipeg Now that Spring is Here

## ... 'WHY DON'T I GO?'

asks MONTE ROBERTS

*Tourist promoters take off from these parts early in March each year, and run around in all directions boasting of the blessings of early spring, and casting pitying glances at less fortunate areas.*

*Not to be disloyal, but I don't entirely agree.*

*An early spring isn't all February crocus and March daffodil.*

*There are drawbacks, too.*

*Especially when an early spring follows a period called winter in name only.*

I have lived in other parts of Canada, where the advent of spring has real meaning, mainly because winter didn't fool around. Winter was winter, and you'd better believe it.

The first real spring after I left B.C. occurred in Winnipeg, in a province where the wheat and the retired farmers come from.

To understand what I mean by "real spring", you have to understand about winter.

Winter in Winnipeg I think, can best be summed up in the immortal words of John Bird, then editor of the Tribune.

To a complaint that it was a little chilly (only 20 below, as I remember), he replied, lips and moustache curled in disdain.

"Ah, but what a glorious challenge. I like to FIGHT the weather."

And the nice thing about the weather in Winnipeg, it is only too willing to fight back.

This is one reason that spring has real meaning in Winnipeg.

Along about April, most of the snow has disappeared, the ice is going out of the Assiniboine and the Red Rivers, and the daily flood bulletins are a source of excitement to all.

Then there's the appearance of the first snow flower (flower, not flowers) which gets its picture on the front page.

Then, O Glorious Day, someone spots the return of the first robin of spring, and there is singing and dancing in the streets.

So who spots the return of the first robin in Victoria? Spot a robin, he couldn't be returning because he hasn't been anywhere.

When I was in Winnipeg a lady from Victoria was also having her first experience with the prairie climate. Her husband had found her a nice, brick-built, insulated, heated apartment, much better, she said, than anything in Victoria.

But what she liked most of all, she said, was that first robin bit, meaning spring is here.

When she read about the first robin she figured it would be alright to venture forth. She hadn't been out of the apartment since January 1.

Well, Winnipeg isn't the only place they have exciting, important springs.

My first spring in Toronto was a memorable one. It followed the winter of what is still called

the Big Snow, which gave many hundreds of office workers good reason to stay home, transportation then not being what it is now.

But that wasn't what made the spring so exciting.

The excitement was in deciding whether or not spring was here or wasn't here.

It would thaw during the day, and people would say to each other, "do you think so?"

Then it would freeze at night, and people would say: "I guess not."

Then finally one day there came a real, whumping thaw, a Chinook type thaw with warm breezes sighing through the trees just aching to start bud-bursting.

And everybody's basement flooded, and everybody knew spring was here. Talk about exciting!

Mind you, you don't have to go to a big city for exciting springs.

One of the most exciting in my memory was spent in a cabin on the shores of a small lake a couple of hundred miles north of Toronto.

The winter, of course, was delightful and uneventful, with temperature never below 40 (if it did go lower, our thermometer wouldn't admit it.)

We had a few things to keep us occupied while we waited for spring. The water pump froze up rather early in the season, which gave us a chance to chop a hole through the ice and bring water in by the bucketful.

Pretty soon the ice was so deep on the lake, we had to cut steps down the side of the water-hole.

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## ONLY FOUR GIRLS CAME TO DANCE

Continued from Page 2

March 22, 1900  
DEAR AMY:

You see I am obeying you and writing right away in answer to your letter which came yesterday.

For the last fortnight things have been waking up here. The town looks quite lively whenever a train comes in and a few days ago freight was piled up along the trail for quite a distance. Most of it has gone now, though.

From now on to the opening of navigation we will be pretty busy. For eight days we have been enjoying lovely weather, warm and sunny. The river is open at the end of the lake already and the trail on the way to Dawson is worn bare, so that people going in with heavily-laden sleds will have a hard time of it unless we have another snowfall, which is not likely.

Do you know what kind of property around here it is that your father owns? If it is real estate he won't realize anything on it as lots are way down to \$150 to \$200. Chances are they'll stay down for of course as soon as the railroad reaches White Horse, Bennett will simply be a station and real estate worth nil.

All the members of the club are orphans now. The old place was burnt down on the 11th, right to the ground. It's too bad as it was one of the landmarks of Bennett, and the hill looks awfully empty without it. We have had some good times in it, I can tell you.

I was sitting at breakfast Sunday morning when I heard a little crackle in a room behind me and after listening for a few moments opened the door and found the roof was burning.

There was only one barrel of water in the house and that was no use, so the fire got a good start and in two hours had burned the place right to the ground. Fortunately almost everything was saved in the way of furniture, etc., from inside the building.

At present we are taking our meals across the road at the hotel. They don't give bad meals at all.

Mr. M., the late manager here, left or Atlin the other day. We gave him a banquet before he left. There was a hot time there I can promise you.

I envy you the dances you are having. Things are very quiet in that way here just now. There was a dance given in a new hotel the other night but it was a failure. Only

four ladies turned up so it broke up early.

I have been for several rides with a dog team lately. It's lots of fun. You would enjoy one immensely. They can travel at quite a rate when you get them going.

I received some good news the other day from Head Office. They have given me a raise in salary dating way back in last summer, so that I put quite a nice little sum into my pocket which will come in very useful when I go down below, although when that will be I do not know yet.

Yours sincerely,  
HAROLD

May 8, 1900

DEAR AMY:

Summer has come here at last. We haven't had any cold weather for two months and it is getting too late for any now. The birds are flying round and there is no snow to speak of in the town and large bare patches are showing on the mountains.

The ice will soon break up now. It is getting very rotten at this end of the lake and the other is open for quite a long distance. In fact, travelling over it is so dangerous that the police have issued an order prevent-

ing anybody from going on it but it doesn't do much good.

The whole of the lower river from a little past White Horse to Dawson is open so that navigation will soon open. All the steam boats here are being prepared for work and one new one is being built by Jno. Irving.

I have been having some fun shooting ducks the last two or three days. Whole bands of them arrived one night and half the town was out over them next day.

Things are very quiet here at present and will remain so until the opening of navigation which ought to be ten days sooner than last year. I heard the other day that clerks up here need not expect any holidays this year as they could not be arranged for. I hope they will see their way to giving us some as I would not like to be away from home when E.'s marriage comes off.

If I don't get any won't I be an old stiff when I reach Vic. about two years from now. Don't think anybody will have anything to do with me, I will be such a rough-looking miner.

Yours sincerely,  
HAROLD

(To Be Continued)

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With Five Happy Children in the Paterson Home

# THERE'S STILL ROOM FOR A FOSTER CHILD

They live on Terrace Avenue, at the foot of Victoria's great candle, Richard and Audrey Paterson, and at the moment—although she doesn't look old enough for such attainments—they have five boys, aged 11, 10, 8, 5 and 2. To a vast number of people this would seem to be just about enough, but the Patersons are evidently conscious of an unfortunate gap between the 8- and 5-year-olds, so they are thinking of asking for a foster child aged six!

By VIVIENNE CHADWICK

Certainly it will be a lucky tyke, this prospective six-year-old. Because the couple has much to give. Not only in material things—and it's a very gracious home, with a breathtaking view—but in the even more vital and fundamental abstracts of affection, understanding, humor, and, I would be fairly sure, a firm guiding hand on the reins. A two-hour visit with the Patersons in their eagle's eyrie above the city lights, made this manifest.

Richard is a native Victorian, the grandson of Lieutenant-Governor T. W. Paterson of earlier years, and is a medical representative for drugs manufacturers. Audrey is Calgary born, lived in Manitoba until she was 14, and then was brought west by her family. She is a graduate of Victoria High School, and the fact that she herself is one of a

fairly large family of youngsters has, she believes, a bearing on her own intense interest in children of all ages. Today she is chairman of the Foster Parents' Committee of Family and Children's Service, a job she was asked to undertake by Mrs. B. L. Packford, the Foster Home placement supervisor. The committee is a relatively new venture, only two years old, whose mission is to bring together—they meet twice a month—the foster parent of the city, so that they may exchange ideas and experiences, and thus be of assistance to one another in the many and varied problems which are inevitably encountered when children are taken, almost always under difficult circumstances, from one home and placed in another.

The committee deals with its work in three classifications: those

pertaining to children in their teens, those whose ages are 6 to 10, and the babies from birth to six. Lecturers and teachers with varied backgrounds attend the meetings and add to the wider view.

Audrey Paterson's specific interest in all of the above was sparked by the fact that she has a relative in welfare work, who telephoned her one day and asked if she might be willing to give a foster home, for a time, to a young girl from the mainland who badly needed one. The Patersons conferred, and presently agree. The newcomer turned out to be "a very nice girl," was helpful with the smaller children, and the experiment was a success. This led to a succession of five other girls in their teens, all of whose problems were much the same.

The most common cause of all

the trouble," said Audrey, "is a matter of very poor parent relationship in the home."

She found, too, that the big difficulty was often not at all the fact that the individual child was naturally delinquent, but was primarily due to an inability to communicate. Youngsters were, and are, frequently hostile because they simply don't know how to express themselves, their feelings, or their emotional needs in words that will bring them understanding. This sort of thing is bitterly frustrating, no matter what the age. And the answer? Audrey Paterson believes there should be more time for discussions in the schools, more constructive conversation in the home, and much more reading. After all, one must acquire a vocabulary if one is to maintain some sort of difference between mankind and his animal brothers!

She is undoubtedly right. I know of one young mother who finds one of the most rewarding hours of her day is that in which her 11-year-old

MRS. RICHARD PATERSON with, from left, Shaun, 11; Bobby, 8; Cameron, 5; Paul, 5, and Drew, 10, with Sam—Robin Clarke.



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## The Honorable Hyack Anvil Battery Founded in New Westminster in 1870

by P. W. LUCE

# It's the Only One In the World

*New Westminster has a special reason for remembering Queen Victoria, for the Royal City owes its name to the good Queen. The pioneers were much concerned over matters of local interest, and in the 60s a great controversy raged over the spelling of the name of the future town. Should it be "Queenborough" or "Queensborough"?*

*As it was impossible to agree on whether there should or should not be an "s" in the name, somebody had the audacity to refer the matter to the Queen. The disputants agreed that her decision should be final.*

Queen Victoria blandly cut the Gordian knot. With no great show of originality, she declared that the place would be called "New Westminster", and that mouthful was slapped on the struggling village. There is a section of the city known as Queensborough.

Though all the residents of the place were disappointed at Queen Victoria not choosing either "Queenborough" or "Queensborough," their patriotism did not falter. They showed their loyalty on every possible occasion, but particularly on the queen's birthday, the 24th of May.

In 1870 somebody had a brilliant idea. The queen's birthday should be celebrated with a royal salute by artillery.

Fine! But there was a difficulty. There was no artillery in New Westminster.

The ingenious pioneers solved the difficulty by organizing the Honorable Hyack Anvil Battery, the only Anvil Battery in the world.

"Hyack" is a Chinook word meaning "Hurry Up" and was in common use at the time when Chinook was the lingua franca of the coast people.

Anvils instead of artillery can produce a satisfactory salute. After a few experiments and a few burnt fingers, a satisfactory technique was developed, which has not changed much in nearly a century.

Johnny Reid had a blacksmith shop on English Street, near Columbia Street, and was active in the formation of the Hyack Anvil Battery. Two of his anvils were dragged outside, a big measure of powder spread over the top of one anvil, and then the other anvil was set on top of it.

A torch was applied to a fuse, and the top anvil was thrown high in the air with a roar that was almost as good as that made by a cannon. The artillerymen who were all young—and who included many Sappers sent out from England in 1857—were satisfied, and celebrated the occasion in the proper manner of those days.

Tom Owens, who later became mayor, was one of the first of the anvil crowd. So was Captain Adolphus Peele, a weather prophet whose friends were legion.

All the originals are long since dead. Their descendants still play their part in the May 24 Hyack Anvil Battery Salute, though the ceremony now takes place in front of the city hall on Royal Avenue.

The Anvil Battery has been active only once a year since 1870 with the exception of 1933, when on May 29 a salute of 21 "Anvil guns" was fired in honor of the visit of King George and his queen to New Westminster.

Their Majesties made no comment on the ceremony.

The gun crew all have definite duties to perform, and all do them right well. The captain is also a powder monkey, and there are right-hand hoisters and left-hand hoisters, who have the heavy job of getting the top anvil back in place 21 times.

There is a chalker-off, who keeps count of the detonations and a swabber-off, who sees to it that no lingering spark is left to interfere with arrangements.

A toucher-up and a blower-up share the long stick used to touch off the fuse, and there is a water boy who has very little to do under the sharp eye of the adjutant.

Probably the most important post is the one held by the medical officer. It is the duty of the medical officer to certify that all members are fit for duty, but this is a mere formality. The real test comes after the salute, when the medical officer discovers that every single man is in need of refreshments. Fortunately, he is in a position to administer relief right away, having come well prepared for emergencies.

There have been many medical officers since 1870, but the most popular of them was Nels Nelson, proprietor of the New Westminster Brewery, who knew what to do even in prohibition days.



J. J. JOHNSTON, now 96 . . . he knew the original "battery."

Although never a member of the Honorable Hyack Anvil Brigade, and too young to see the first salute, J. J. Johnston could lay claim to being its contemporary. He, too, arrived in New Westminster in 1870, and was acquainted with all the original battery.

Mr. Johnston was really more interested in the May Day celebrations, which give joy to thousands of children every year, and have made the city famous. As a recognition of Mr. Johnston's many public services he was created a freeman of New Westminster some years ago, and was exempt from parking tickets no matter where he left his car.

That was the only real benefit the freeman-ship brought him, but the honor was greatly appreciated.

Before becoming mayor of New Westminster Mr. Johnston was an alderman for several years. His parents came out to British Columbia in the Thames City and were among the first to settle in this part of the province.

Affectionately known as "Mr. May Day," Mr. Johnston was proud of being able to say that he had seen every May Day celebration in New Westminster, except the one held in 1963, when illness kept him away from Queen's Park, where the celebrations are held.

This year, Friday, May 11, was chosen for the May Day celebrations, which are always held on Fridays. Market Day, Jeannette Shelley, 12, a Grade 6 pupil at Queen Elizabeth elementary school, carries off the regal duties.

Now approaching his 96th birthday, Mr. Johnston is still in reasonably good health. He still goes to his real estate office, and keeps abreast of events.

With wry humor he says he is looking forward to becoming a centenarian, but admits that the last four years will be the hardest.

## ... 'WHY DON'T I GO?'

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Outside of that and a skunk or two who wanted in out of the cold, we didn't have much to do.

But the reason I mentioned the waterhole in the ice was that our dog always accompanied me when I picked up a pail. At first he was reluctant to venture forth on the frozen lake. Swimming, skidding, no, seemed to be his motto.

In a matter of days, though, the dog gained confidence, and soon ranged far and wide over the lake.

So along came spring. We had been suspecting its arrival or lays. There hadn't been fresh snow for over two weeks. Snow had melted from the evergreens, robbing them of their perpetual Christmas tree look. And the deciduous trees showed signs of stirring saply deep-down inside.

These, though, weren't conclusive signs that spring had really arrived.

Proof was provided in two dramatic, climactic manifestations, like a double-header of Androcles vs. the Lion.

First: I tentatively tried the handle of the pump, and, lo and behold, it showed every sign of being unfrozen.

Second: I fetched the pail and went to the water hole to draw some water to prime the pump.

The dog, of course, followed me, and started on his usually cursing run across the lake.

My back was turned, but I heard the splash.

Eureka! the dog had fallen in, proving the mid-lake ice had melted and Spring had Sprung!

As if that wasn't fun and excitement enough, the ice broke again when I was attempting to rescue him via the ladder method, and I got soaked through!

Just three examples of how spring is much more dramatic and exciting elsewhere in Canada.

Why don't I go there, then?  
See above.



## In the Approaches To Halifax Harbor

*The officers and men of the U-190 cheered as their torpedo shattered HMCS Esquimalt's thin-skinned flank.*

*Watching through his periscope, Oberleutnant zur See Hans-Edwin Reith saw the dying minesweeper rapidly settle in the approaches to Halifax Harbor.*

*Three minutes later, at 9:31 a.m., April 16, 1945—20 years ago—the little ship was gone . . .*

This month marks the 20th anniversary of Esquimalt's tragic loss, which occurred within five miles of the Nova Scotian coast, only three weeks before V-E Day. She was the last Canadian naval ship sunk in the Second World War.

Victoria was reminded of this gallant lady in mid-February by a letter from one of her former crew. William S. Baker, of Peterborough, Ontario, enclosed a photograph and statistics of the Bangor-class minesweeper with the suggestion that Victoria observe this anniversary of her torpedoing.

Reeve A. C. Wurtele immediately agreed to present the request to Esquimalt Council. Earlier, Reeve Wurtele had proposed commemoration of Esquimalt's naval base's 100th birthday, which is in June.

Fortunately for Mr. Baker, he was not aboard Esquimalt when she went down. But his shipmates were less fortunate . . .

"PEACE IN EUROPE; GERMANY SURRENDERS!" exclaimed The Colonist's enormous black headlines on May 7, 1945.

The following morning, it announced: "VICTORY WILL BE PROCLAIMED TODAY."

And Victorians joined with the rest of the western world in rejoicing that, after six years of bitter fighting, there was peace in Europe once more.

But for some there was little cause for rejoicing. Further down the front page, in smaller type, was the brief article: "Esquimalt Sunk Off East Coast; Five Officers and 30 Ratings Missing."

Ironically, the Esquimalt had been sunk the previous month, but wartime censorship had withheld the news until then. . . .

Little Esquimalt had enjoyed a special place in hearts of Victorians. Although she served her brief career entirely in the North Atlantic, never visiting her namesake on the west coast, many local people followed her activities with interest and sent parcels to her crew. This strange bond, and the fact that several B.C. husbands and sons were lost with her, dampened victory celebrations.

For RCN officials it was an even more solemn matter—the war may have ended in Europe, but the U-190 and sister submarines were known to be still cruising in Canadian coastal waters. . . .

During the last violent month of the Second World War, the Admiralty estimated that Germany still commanded an unterseeboote fleet of 220 submarines, of which at least 72 were believed to be at sea. With this threat in mind, HMCS Esquimalt had been ordered to assist in anti-submarine patrol duty outside Halifax Harbor.

There was a light off-shore breeze that spring morning of April 16, 1945, and Esquimalt rode the low swells easily, maintaining a precise speed of 10 knots. On her bridge, Lieutenant Robert C. MacMillan, DSC, RCNVR, scanned the empty horizon with powerful binoculars.

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# Death Struck the 'Sweeper

*Story of the Loss  
of HMCS Esquimalt  
by T. W. PATERSON*



HMCS ESQUIMALT . . . Doomed

Strangely, Lieut. MacMillan did not have Esquimalt zigzag as was procedure during patrols, making his 'sweeper' an easy target for an enemy raider. And his asdic failed to detect the lurking U-190 which, at that very moment, was closing to attack.

Oberleutnant Reith anxiously watched his torpedo's foaming wake, hopeful the warship would not change course or speed. He need not have worried. At exactly 9:27 a.m. the acoustic torpedo ripped into Esquimalt's starboard quarter with an awesome blast, knocking out all power and stopping her dead in the water. The grey seas poured into her shattered hull, and every man aboard knew from the start that she was lost . . .

Her decks already awash, Lieut. MacMillan bawled the order to abandon ship. Officers and men leaped from her rising bow and swam for the four Carley floats which had been launched.

As they paddled frantically away, the Esquimalt slipped under. The only lifeboat went down with her, still secured in its davits. There had not been time to get it away.

And the Esquimalt was gone before she could radio for help or even fire distress signals. Of her 70-man crew, most were now crowded onto the over-loaded rafts. Others had died instantly in the explosion. Still more struggled to remain afloat in the chill water.

About 10 o'clock, several airplanes streaked overhead and the numbed seamen yelled frantically, waving shreds of uniforms to attract the pilots' attention. The aircraft passed on.

By now the frigid Atlantic had thinned their ranks, relentlessly dragging down the exhausted sailor after another. Some willingly crawled or slipped off the floats to end their torment.

Time passed slowly. Then . . .

Raggedly the tortured men gave a hoarse cheer.

They were saved! On the horizon they could make out two approaching minesweepers. The vessels came on and the distance shrank. Then, what began as haunting doubt became grim reality. The hapless survivors now realized that the ships' course would carry them two miles past the little yellow rafts, and they cursed in despair.

More hours passed and more men died.

It was a full, killing six hours after the Esquimalt sank before another 'sweeper, HMCS Sarnia, chanced upon the scene when returning from an anti-submarine attack. But, for more than half of tragic Esquimalt's crew, she was too late. Only 26 of her complement of 70 were picked up and rushed to port.

A hero of the sinking was a Victorian, 32-year-old Leading Cook Thomas James McIntyre. McIntyre had laughed and joked with the shivering, near-naked and oil-covered survivors huddled on his raft, helping others aboard with an encouraging grin and helping hand.

"He promised us all T-bone steaks as the boys were getting on," related shipmate Terence Manuel. "Later he fell off, or perhaps slipped off so someone else would have room on the crowded raft. McIntyre clung to the side about half an hour then said goodbye, waved and winked feebly, and drifted off to his death."

His body eventually was recovered and shipped home for burial. McIntyre had enlisted with the Fishermen's Reserve and served three years with the RCNVR.

The gallant cook was not the first of his family to be lost. A brother, Hugh, had joined the United States Merchant Marine and was declared missing after the devastating Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor in December, 1941. Yet another brother, Chief Petty Officer Angus McIntyre, had a ship sunk under him in the Mediterranean in 1943, but was rescued. At the time of the Esquimalt's torpedoing he was serving out of England.

Another Victorian man, Petty Officer John C. Knowles, was listed among the missing of HMCS Esquimalt. Knowles had enlisted in the RCN in 1940 when 17 years old, and served in the

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## When British and French Tried To Breach the Turkish Ramparts

by JOHN SHAW  
Editor, The Islander

*The abortive campaign by the British and French to seize control of the Gallipoli peninsula, and thus the Dardanelles, and to force an entrance through the Sea of Marmora to the Black Sea in order to relieve pressure on the Russian armies, was marked by gallantry and marred by indecision. Today is the anniversary of the initial assault just 50 years ago.*

The evacuation of the invading forces, paradoxically, was the most successful aspect of the operation, the embarkation from Suvla Bay and Anzac beaches called by war historians "a triumphant success," and the withdrawal from Helles, at the tip of the peninsula a month later, "a masterly military and naval achievement."

Both of these dangerous operations could be compared very favorably with the more famous Dunkirk evacuation. In each case they were the culmination of bitter defeats.

Historians give credit to Marshal Liman von Sanders and his Turkish divisions for the stubborn defence of Gallipoli, and indeed the German commander and his forces fought with ferocity. Their lapses were in the failure to appreciate the situation which forced the withdrawal of the British and which might have brought disaster to the Allies.

The late Sir Winston Churchill had been a principal proponent of the campaign, and with its failure he quit the Anquith ministry and went to command a battalion in France. And yet the

# Dardanelles Disaster

Inspiration which culminated in the Dardanelles attack was well-founded. It might very well have succeeded, but for blunders in the total strategy, and inexplicable errors of judgment in the field.

The first mistake was in trying to force the Dardanelles—that narrow gut of water between the Gallipoli peninsula and the Turkish territory of Asia Minor—with the fleet alone. The Royal Navy was repulsed with severe losses. But the attack provided ample warning to the Turks that plans for invasion were afoot.

The naval engagement was fought during March 18-19, 1915, and the army's assault did not go in until April 25. Meanwhile, von Sanders had ample time to concentrate his divisions at the expected landing points. When the British army and Royal Navy landing forces rushed the beaches and the Australian and New Zealand divisions forced a foothold below the Helles heights, the defenders were already well established. For the whole of the period of the sustained assault, which was to go on intermittently until mid-August, the Turkish batteries could rake the beaches and the attackers' trench positions.

Ultimately the initial assault force of four divisions was augmented by fresh troops from Britain and India—some seven divisions—and in the first week of August a formidable offensive was mounted. A new landing was accomplished at Suvla Bay and from the Anzac's beaches

strong and determined forces drove towards the heights.

At Sari Bair, on Aug. 6, the attackers failed to reach their objectives, the positions on the heights. On Aug. 9, the Turkish counter-attack drove them from newly-won ground.

At Suvla Bay, on the night of Aug. 6, troops of Britain's "New Army" won a beachhead almost unopposed. Then as reinforcements poured in, they hesitated. The commanding heights above them would have overlooked the Turkish lines and given them a tactical advantage heretofore enjoyed by the enemy at all points. They didn't move until Aug. 9.

By that time von Sanders had rushed reinforcements by two days of forced marching to bolster the line. The Turks held.

There were desperate assaults on Aug. 15 and Aug. 21, but in each case the defence stood staunchly.

The British government looked at the casualty lists and weighed the hope of success against the mounting cost—95,000 casualties, to say nothing of naval vessels sunk. Only satisfaction at the British Admiralty was due to the success of British submarines in creeping through the Dardanelles and inflicting severe losses to Turkish shipping in the Black Sea—even in the harbor of Constantinople!

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## Death Struck the 'Sweeper'

officers had been ordered to Shelbourne and Lunenburg, N.S., "in case U-boats turn up."

After sinking the Esquimaux, Oberleutnant Reith had been forced to be submerged for an entire frustrating week as Canadian surface craft attacked with depth charges. It was not until April 30 that he succeeded in slipping away and tried running for home. He never made it.

On May 11, 1945, three days after the war ended in Europe, the U-190 received word from the German High Command, notifying Reith of the unconditional surrender, and ordering him to give up his ship. The U-boat commander surfaced and signalled his position to the Cape Race radio station. That night he was boarded by parties from HMC Ships Victoriaville and Thorlock, about 350 miles southeast of Cape Race.

The U-190 had been constructed in the Deschimag yard at Bremen and was commissioned on September 29, 1942, less than a month before Esquimaux was commissioned on the other side of the world.

She was 740 tons, Type IX-C, the commonest type after the VII-C and the type most used in long range operations. This model of submarine was nicknamed "Seekuhne" or sea cow by the unterseeboote men. Her armament consisted of six torpedo tubes (four forward, two aft), one 37-mm. and two 105-mm. guns. However, as the air offensive against Germany was stepped up, she was reduced to only one twin 37-mm. and two single 20-mm. guns about her conning tower.

During her first patrol, under Kapitänleutnant Max Wintermeyer, she took part in two convoy attacks. In the second, no less than 44 U-boats participated, the largest such deployment of the entire war. The total score of both battles was 21 Allied ships lost: to one U-boat sunk and three damaged.

No details are known of the next four cruises," the official RCN record continues, saying only that she cruised off the American coast and, later in 1943, served in the Indian Ocean. Oberleutnant Reith relieved Wintermeyer in command after the fourth mission and upon completion of his first patrol the U-190 entered refit at Bremen.

Her sixth and last cruise found her hunting along the barren shores of Nova Scotia. Given a "roving commission," Reith stalked the busy approaches to Halifax Harbor, making several futile attacks on shipping. HMC Esquimaux proved his only victim.

HMC Victoriaville and HMC Thorlock escorted the submarine to the Canadian coast, where Lieut. Mewburn Wood and a submarine crew took over.

In June, 1945, the craft was commissioned into the RCN as HMC U-190, and sailed for Halifax. Upon arrival there, she was carefully examined by specialists and underwent repairs. Operational once more, she began an exhibition cruise which took her to Montreal, Trois Rivières, Quebec, Gaspe, Pictou and Sydney, escorted by HMC Thetford Mines.

Returning to Halifax, she spent the next two years being inspected and studied by experts and was used to demonstrate the lethal acoustic torpedo.

Paid off on July 24, 1947, she was stripped of her gear. Three months later, in accordance with the Potsdam Conference, the U-190 was sunk in Exercise Scupperion off Nova Scotia . . . in the same waters which held the remains of HMC Esquimaux and her 44 lost men.

Today the main periscope of the U-190 is on display in the Crowns Club at St. John's, Newfoundland.

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sweepers and corvettes, and on convoy patrol in the North Atlantic. A brother, William Kinnies, was with the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment.

Also reported missing were Victorians Leading Coder John H. Stafford, Warrant Engineer James Elder Roberts, and Leading Seaman Richard Partington.

Two other local men were lucky. Kenneth Bexrud, Stoker First Class, and Edward Dempster, Able Seaman, were rescued.

HMC Esquimaux was built at Sorel, Quebec, and commissioned on October 28, 1942. She was 162 feet long, 28 feet in beam, and 590 tons. Armed with one 12-pounder, she had top speed of 16 knots. Her sponsor had been Mrs. L. A. Lawrason, daughter of R. W. Mayhew, who later became Canadian ambassador to Japan.

The torpedoing of little Esquimaux was not the first time in closing months of the war that daring U-boats had penetrated to "practically within gunshot range" of Halifax, headquarters for the North Atlantic sea war.

In a previous skirmish, another minesweeper, HMC Clayquot, was sunk off the Nova Scotian coast, and several merchantmen also were attacked. Strangely, Canada lost only five minesweepers in nearly six years of fighting—three of them in quick succession—Clayquot, Esquimaux and Guysborough went down near the end of hostilities. . . .

Accordingly, on V-E Day, an RCN dispatch reported: "While the war against Germany has ended, patrols will be continued for an indefinite period . . . an untold number of U-boats still are lurking in the North Atlantic and fanatical commanders may strike one last blow before their fuel and food are gone."

Two days later, a navy spokesman said, "In view of the fact that German submarines are known to have been operating off the east coast of Canada, there is a possibility some of them will return to east coast Canadian ports to surrender."

The Columist reported that high-ranking naval

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## FRENCH, ENGLISH, EAST INDIAN OR SALT SPRING ISLAND STYLE

*Ever since living on Salt Spring Island where lambs gambolled almost at our front door, I have had a great affection for the little things. Fat tree creatures with tightly-curved fleece, funny faces and wig-wagging hind ends. Especially adorable were the few little black lambs of the flock.*

For a number of years after my association with these endearing animals, I was almost loath to cook lamb, much as I liked its succulent flavor. Silly sentiment, I admit, but that's the way it was. However, those days are long ago and far away and I can now look at lamb more impersonally.

Recently I was introduced to an interesting and revolutionary (to me) type of lamb and I must admit I was pleasantly surprised at its excellence. Excellent is the best word I can think of to describe the leg of frozen New Zealand lamb I cooked last week.

I put my roast in an oven pre-heated to 375°. While it was still frozen. After half an hour I took it from the oven and dusted it well with seasoned flour. For seasoning I used salt, freshly ground pepper and a little rosemary. Back in the oven with the heat reduced to 325°. I cooked it in an open roaster allowing 30 minutes to the pound and adding one hour to the total time because of it being frozen.

I placed potatoes around the roast for the last hour of roasting.

I like to use a meat thermometer for all roasts. With frozen meat you must wait to insert the thermometer until the meat is sufficiently unfrozen. When lamb is done the thermometer should read 180°. Of course you can thaw the meat before cooking if you wish.

With our own local spring lamb several months from maturity, now is a good time to use this really fine New Zealand product. An especially good buy (very economical) is now offered in our stores . . . an 11-pound pack . . . leg, shoulder, loin and rack. Never has New Zealand frozen lamb come to the Canadian housewife so attractively packaged.

Try not to disguise the delicate flavor of lamb by using too heavy a hand with spices or other seasonings. We can learn from the cuisine of the French, British and East Indians the best seasonings to enhance the flavor of this meat.

The French prefer tarragon, marjoram or a bouquet garni with their lamb dishes. To make a bouquet garni just enclose a bay leaf in 3 or 4 sprigs of parsley and a sprig of thyme. Tie together so it can be removed after the flavor has gone into the food with which it was cooked.

The British season their lamb with dried mint or serve it with a mint, mustard or caper sauce.

The East Indians season lamb with curry powder and complement this savory dish with rice.

For a Canadian touch, give lamb a gala look by serving it with broiled peach or pear halves, broiled tomatoes or sauteed mushrooms. Most of our

fresh spring vegetables team well with the flavor of lamb so you should not be at a loss for menu ideas.

The shoulder of lamb is a very economical cut. The following Sweet-Sour Lamb recipe is especially well suited to the shoulder cut.

**SWEET-SOUR LAMB . . . 3 to 4 pounds**  
shoulder lamb, 1 cup water, 1 tsp. salt, 1 cup apple juice, ½ cup liquid from meat, 5 Tbsp. vinegar, 2 to 4 Tbsp. brown sugar, ¼ tsp. mustard, ¼ tsp. chili powder, ½ tsp. ginger, 1 tsp. salt, 1 clove garlic (optional), 1 cup diced onion, 1 cup diced green pepper, 1 cup celery sliced diagonally, 3 Tbsp. cornstarch, ¼ cup liquid from meat, 1 tsp. soy sauce, 1 cup peeled diced tomatoes.

Trim as much fat as possible from meat; cut in 1-inch cubes. Render a little of the cut-off fat in a heavy skillet and brown the lamb pieces in this. Brown it well on all sides. Now add the water and 1 tsp. salt, cover and simmer gently for 30 minutes. Drain liquid from meat. Chill this and skim off the fat. Mix the apple juice, ½ cup of the meat liquid, the vinegar, sugar, spices, the other tsp. of salt and the garlic. Add to the meat, cover and simmer until the meat is fork tender, about 30 minutes. Add the onion, green pepper and celery and simmer 15 minutes longer. Combine the cornstarch, ¼ cup of meat liquid and the soy sauce. Add to meat stirring constantly until thickened—about 5 minutes. Stir in the tomato and heat thoroughly. Makes 6 servings.

If you just roast the shoulder-cut whole, it makes a fine meal. The size of your family determines if there are any bits left over. With two, we had one hot meal, one meal of cold cuts and enough bits to be cut from the bone to make a Lamb Curry.

**LAMB CURRY . . . Two cups**  
cooked lamb cut in small pieces, 1 small onion chopped fine and sauteed in a little butter, 1 tsp. or more of curry powder, 1 tin cream of mushroom soup, undiluted and ¼ to ½ cup sour cream. Combine all but the sour cream. Heat to boiling, remove from heat and slowly add the sour cream. Heat to hot but not boiling.

Serve over hot rice.

This is not a real curry but a nice, easy and very flavorful meal. A cup of finely chopped apple may be sauteed

## After L Comes L

with the onion for added interest. Any way it is cooked, a shoulder of lamb is a very economical meal. Even the ragged pieces adhering to the bone can be utilized to make a flavorful meal.

Shoulder of lamb may be roasted in just the same manner as the leg. Or it may be made into a savory Pot Roast. For this put a 4 to 5-pound shoulder in a Dutch oven or a large oven-proof casserole. Add a quart of water or 3 cups of water plus 1 cup red or white wine, a clove of garlic

(optional), a large bouquet garni of parsley and rosemary. A (As'cent). Bring in a 300° oven for 2 hours. Remove cover. Remove vegetables. Skim into a pan and kneaded with 1 T and serve in a gr

Sprinkle the r As an alternative meat with parsley, gravy and serve. Aroma in the words . . . Savory shepherds herding times . . . goat women, and men and flickering fire old, yet new as to have simmered or Look for that lamb . . . It's a g ing adventure.



### DEAR HELOISE:

I cut the top off an empty salt box (the type with a spout) and, using a mason jar ring as a pattern, cut a circle out of the cardboard top.

Then I put rice or oatmeal, etc., into a clean fruit jar, place the salt box circle with the metal pouring spout on top of it, and screw the lid onto the jar.

By doing this, I have a perfect pouring spout and



can see just how much of each item I have on hand. And the foods stay fresher than when left in their original containers.

These are also wonderful for soap powder, as they prevent soggy-bottomed soap boxes.

Mrs. Walter Roberts

### DEAR HELOISE:

I would like to pass along this tip to mothers of young babies.

I put my baby in his infant seat and find a safe place to sit him in front of a mirror, where he has a full view of himself. He will entertain himself for quite a long time . . .

This can be started as soon as the baby has some eye and muscle control. The baby seat gives complete support to baby's back.

Mrs. D. Wheeler

### BABY SOAP-MAKING

### DEAR HELOISE:

For those who have a dog

to bathe, make a bag five-by-two! Cut a bar of dog soap in the bag, knot in the end and use it to scrub. It's wonderful hand is free to hold no sponge needed. Just soap.

Cuts bath time. Mrs. C.

### DEAR HELOISE:

I have a simple way to let the



piece of soap get a side by laying it in water, then squ against another piece or even a new bar, will stick together.

Works best with kind of soap.

Paul S.

### DEAR HELOISE:

When taking clothes dry cleaner, I find to pin a small piece

## Bride's Corner

### TRICKS WITH LAMB . . .

**FOR A RICH GLAZE** for roast leg of lamb . . . baste during the last 45 minutes of roasting with a tin of tomato sauce. Gives a fine crisp brownness and complements the flavor of the meat.

**FOR A DIFFERENT FLAVOR . . .** brush a leg of lamb all over with French dressing and allow to stand one hour before cooking. Baste several times with the dressing while it roasts.

**ROSEMARY AND LAMB** are very compatible . . . A marinade is a good medium for flavoring. Combine ¼ cup each salad oil and wine vinegar, add 1 tsp. each salt and crushed rosemary, ¼ cup finely chopped onion and a dash of seasoned pepper. Chop, lamb stew or breast of lamb are adaptable. Pour marinade over meat and turn several times. Leave for several hours. Drain, blot the meat with paper towel before cooking. The marinade can be used in the gravy.

Lamb must be served either very hot or cold . . . no halfway mark will do. If serving hot have the platter and serving plates HOT. There is nothing worse than lukewarm lamb . . . the fat congeals very quickly.



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## PILOTAGE FOR BEGINNERS

by Paul V. G. H. Johnson

# Knowing Your Buoys Is Good Business

### THIRD IN A SERIES

Many small boat owners pay no attention to channel markers because of the shallow draught of their craft. However, through being over-optimistic, many have run into trouble. The buoyage system is very simple and no one should have difficulty in memorizing the various buoy types and their meanings.

Coastal and inland waters are marked in most locations with an accurate and complete system of buoys and any good chart indicates their position with symbols. The type of buoy is indicated by the letter following the symbol: C for can buoy, S for spar buoy, N for nun buoy. The symbols are colored the same as the buoys and if the buoys are numbered, the number of the buoy is given, such as C 7, indicating can buoy No. 7; S 4, indicating spar buoy No. 4.

Rocks are usually marked with a framework marker on a concrete base. The most common form is triangular in shape with a lattice-work intersecting through itself at right angles, so that it can be seen from every direction. Always keep well clear of these markers. Some unmarked rocks will be present in many navigable waters, but these are shown on the charts by an X surrounded with a circle of dots. On scanty surveys, which can be recognized by the distance between sounding depth figures on the chart and lack of very detailed information, extreme caution should be used near shore. The fact that rocks and foul ground are not shown on the chart should not be taken as proof that they do not exist. It is wiser to treat all ground near the shore as foul until soundings have proved it otherwise.

The spar buoy is usually a tapered pole anchored at its base. The red nun buoys are always pointed in shape. The typical shape as shown looks like two cones welded together at the base. Red spar or red nun buoys indicate the starboard channel limits, when viewed from seaward. Always travel up-channel with these buoys on your right and, of course, keep them to your left when going down toward the sea. When numbered, the buoys will have even numbers.



Black buoys are given odd numbers and may be a black spar, but are usually the typical black can buoy, which is shaped like an ordinary cylinder or round tin can. Unnumbered buoys, painted red and black, of any type indicate middle ground or obstruction. Pass on either side, but keep well clear. A red stripe on top shows that the best channel is to port. A black stripe on top means the best channel is to starboard of the buoy.

Buoys painted black and white and without numbers, and type or shape, indicate mid-channel or fairway. Pass close to on either side. Most channels are marked with a series of mid-channel buoys and alternate black can or

red nun buoys. Green buoys are used to indicate the position of a sunken or wrecked vessel.

Our coast is also marked with either black or red buoys that are equipped with lights or bells. These are also clearly indicated on charts.

### CROSS BEARING FIX



and no one with a respect for his craft and the safety of those aboard should cruise without a good, complete set of charts. During fog or foul weather, when you can hear a bell but not see it, this type of buoy is extremely valuable to aid you in locating your position. If you have a radio aboard that will pick up the signal from a standard lighthouse, this is also a valuable aid. Most lighthouses have synchronized radio signals that start at the same instant that their lighthouse is sounded. The radio signal will be heard instantaneously, but the sound of the lighthouse horn travels at 1,100 feet per second. Therefore, divide the number of seconds that the sound signal takes to reach you by 5.5 and it will give you the nautical miles distance from the signal station. The compass bearing of the signal station can be ascertained quite accurately by most people by listening to the signal and pointing a parallel rule over the compass and directly at the sound.

Any nautical equipment dealer will sell you a booklet giving the individual radio signals sent out by all lighthouses on your particular stretch of coast. Each lighthouse has its own signal, which is made up of a series of long and short impulses. These booklets give the radio tuning wave length.

In clear weather your position can be checked occasionally by taking cross readings. (See diagram.) Place your parallel rule on the compass (unless fitted with pelorus) and sight along its edge to get the bearing of points sighted on and extend the lines to an intersection on your chart in order to get a fix on your position. Two angles are fairly accurate when taken with a nautical instrument, but when sighting on a rule as suggested three or four angle sights will be found more reliable.

Another good way to obtain your position offshore is to sight on something that lies four points off your bow, then sight on the same object when it is directly ahead, maintaining a steady course. The distance made good between the two sights is equal to your distance from the object sighted on when ahead of it. Also, you can sight on an object bearing two points off your bow, maintain your course until it lies four points off your bow and the distance travelled in the interval is equal to your distance from the object. Any similar doubled angle will give the same results.

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But failure of the land assault had to be admitted.

It was not until Dec. 13 that the withdrawal

### THIS WEEK'S ANAGRAM

(1)	DEMI	PLUS	PENT	EQUALS	???
(2)	GOLF	"	MAIN	"	"
(3)	CITE	"	FAIR	"	"
(4)	HAUL	"	DIKE	"	"
(5)	CLAY	"	SIGN	"	"

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from Suvla and Anzac beaches was ordered. Stealthily guns, mules, and huge supplies of stores were embarked from the beaches over flimsy jetties to the waiting ships. Gradually, over a period of several nights, troops were withdrawn until only a handful of men held the front line. Then, in a disciplined race to the boats, the last of the troops were triumphantly taken out to the waiting ships.

For some reason the British government had decided to delay the withdrawal from Cape Helles. The Turks, now fully alerted to what was in progress, were poised to crush the defenders below Krithia, at the end of the peninsula, the last foothold of the invaders.

## DARDANELLES DISASTER

Once again the British slowly and quietly commenced to embark guns and stores.

An overwhelming Turkish force was within a stone's throw of their front lines. And the suspicious Turks were expecting the withdrawal. In fact they put in a half-hearted attack in early January to test the British strength. They were beaten off. The evacuation continued.

On January 2-3 the last troops waded out to the boats, leaving flames of stores afire.

In the dawn the Turkish soldiers looked over empty beaches, where demolished stores still smouldered.

The British were gone. All but the dead.

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# Warm Memories Preserved of a Courageous Woman

by EDITH M. RIVE

*Because Mrs. French's initials were M. A. W., we called her Maw. But she earned the name besides, because she mothered the whole community and only a book would do her justice.*

Her husband, David, a handsome man with sideburns, moustache and whiskers, was, to me, a rather dim figure in the background for he was often away on business. Anyway, this is her story.

They made their home on an alkali flat 14 miles from Winnipeg, and some three miles from the village of Stony Mountain, best known, perhaps, as the site of the federal penitentiary.

Not the domestic type, Maw French was an intellectual, a young woman well ahead of her time with a strong personality and the courage of her convictions. She had been an American school teacher until her marriage, but from there on she was an outstanding Canadian.

She had an orderly mind and one of her interests centred in keeping a birthday book up to date. At birth she entered the name and date of arrival of every infant in the village so that, presently, young ladies reaching years more mature than they cared to admit, would sigh unhappily, knowing they could not improve on the truth so long as Maw French's record stood.

The four boys in the French family grew up to be fine men of considerable physical stature. But as a young matron Maw always craved a daughter, so Huxley, the youngest son, wore long curls and skirts until he was 7. A lanky overgrown child with strong features, large hands and honey knees, he must have been a sad substitute for a little girl. And one look at his suffering face, clustered around with curls, showed just how he felt. Finally his mother gave in and Huxley was made happy with short hair and short trousers.

His first day at school thereafter was notable. Everyone wondered who the new boy was, trudging along the country road. They were not left long in doubt, for immediately, he reached the school yard he laid aside his jacket and trounced every boy in his class who had made the days of his bondage hateful by calling him "sweetheart."

In the summer the Frenchs drove a team of horses hitched to a high democrat and one windy day when they were passing the picnic grounds the horses were startled and ran away. As they dashed around a curve at high speed Mrs. French was thrown violently to the ground and fractured her hip. After a long session in hospital she came home to travel slowly on crutches for the rest of her life.

But though she was grounded she refused to stay put. She headed the local Women's Christian Temperance Union and then started a campaign for Women's Suffrage at a time when every right-minded woman was expected by the men—to be at home mending her husband's socks. Just why mending a few socks would eat up all an intelligent woman's voting time was never gone into—at least, not by the men.

And she was a member of the church, the Ladies Aid and finally, she rounded up the village children, hunted up teachers and got a Sunday school established.

These activities must have been a great effort. Nevertheless she became over-weight through lack of exercise and her trips in the democrat had to be engineered. One of the men of the family had to travel with her as it was such an ordeal to get her out of the carriage and safely to the ground. She had to back down, her long, full skirts getting in the way of her foot seeking the first little step on the outside of the democrat and then the lower step further down. After that, everybody circled around and eased her to the ground.

For ordinary runs to the village she wore what we called a "cow's breakfast," a wide straw hat with a big crown, the whole thing being light but very shady. These cost a quarter at the village store and everybody had one. Maw

## ALL the CHILDREN CALLED HER 'MAW'

*... She made the shroud for her own funeral*



French added a couple of black ribbons which she tied under her chin. And she was an imposing figure, sitting stiffly in the democrat, her crutches standing beside her and the "cow's breakfast" fanning above her intelligent face.

When dressed for occasions she wore a heavy black silk dress and a notable hat. She was particular about her hats. One summer a young lady visitor from the city, who was clever at millinery, trimmed a hat for her which was suitable and charming. After the young guest returned home Mrs. French carefully removed all the trimming, turned the hat back to front and started again from scratch. The result was a bit breath-taking but, as mentioned, she had the courage of her convictions.

By the time I was old enough to accept an invitation to the French farm all the boys were grown men and all away except Huxley. He was a great comfort to his parents for he had remained a bachelor and stayed on to keep an eye on the old folks and the farm.

Outside, the house looked bleak, with no flowers or lawn about it, just the wild grass growing in clumps with the alkali soil showing through. Inside, the kitchen was finished off with unpainted boards. But in the living room there was a great, square grand piano which Maw French had owned as a girl and brought with her into Canada. It was the only one in the district and it gave the place an air.

When children came to visit a swing was hung in the doorway connecting the kitchen with the living room. And it was wonderful to swing away out into the bare kitchen where Maw sat watching, her crutches alongside, and the next moment he soaring past the company chairs and the grand piano in the empty parlor.

Mrs. French was a born teacher and had no patience with mental dry rot and so any young ones who visited her—and there were many—were kept busy learning the things she thought they ought to know. "Run, child," she would say, "and bring me volume 10 of my encyclo-

pedia." Then she would pour over its pages until she found just the information she wanted to impart.

As she was pretty well tied to her chair there were endless errands for small legs to run. When she thought a reward was in order she would cut a big slice of home-made bread, spread it with home-made butter and top it off with a thick layer of brown sugar. These rewards were strong bait.

Also strong bait was the privilege of rambling through the pages of a huge bound book of the back numbers of Punch. The reading material was beyond me but around the cover margins stout little brownies, pixies, elves and fairies frolicked in an enchanting manner. And then I would hear Maw calling from the next room, "run, child, and bring me volume seven of the Encyclopedia Britannica," and life would become realistic again.

The Frenchs raised so little grain that they threshed it themselves, using a home-made treadmill worked by a team of horses. The horses tramped endlessly but got nowhere at all. Besides the horses they had some cows, chickens and some hogs.

But for a small girl in a household of grown-ups it was a lonely place during the day so when I got restless I was allowed to wander out to the barn. Then I would find a long stick, climb the bars of the pig pen and stir up the hogs. This was a terrifying pleasure for the hogs were bigger than I and when poked they grunted and squealed and ran about in great turmoil, but whether they were ticklish or just plain mad, it was hard to say. I used to think that if I fell in among them they would eat me alive and I wondered if they would make a quick snack of it or spin me out over the weekend.

In the end, even this grew wearisome, so I welcomed the evenings when the men finished the chores and we moved into the parlor. In the early days the Frenchs made their own tallow candles in a metal frame which held a dozen at a time. But when I knew them they had a very grand lamp with a shade. This pulled down from the ceiling and could be shoved up out of danger when not in use.

So then, with the light swaying a little above the piano, Huxley would coax from the old instrument all it had to give. He was a very big man and could span 10 keys with one hand. He played by ear, sweet old songs in a muted bass, and added a few little grace notes, chords and trills. Between numbers he would look up and give me his kind smile to let me know I was not forgotten.

At the end of my visit Huxley would hitch up and drive me home through the twilight trails, while the whip-poor-wills made lonely music from the willows. He would visit awhile with my brothers and then away home to the old farm.

And so the years added up and one day Mrs. French took a nap after dinner and didn't wake up.

There was no undertaker in the village so neighbors did everything for the bereaved family. Two close friends of the old lady went to see that all was in order for the funeral. When they found she had made her own shroud they gently eased her into it. When they saw she had not only added a breast pocket but also a stiffly starched handkerchief at the ready they laughed hysterically, but tenderly too, realizing there were no set patterns for this grand woman who had spent her life bettering conditions for others and finished by adding an improvement to her own shroud.



## Old Daniels was an Anachronism, a Gentle, Lonely Soul

by H. R. MATFIELD

*It was one of those warm, sunny days of autumn with the gossamers floating across the blue sky.*

*My hunting companion suggested we call on an old prospector whose cabin was only a few steps out of our way.*

*The dry sunflower leaves rattled and crunched underfoot so that our approach was noisy. While we were still some hundred feet from the cabin a man opened the door and looked out and almost simultaneously the head of an old, freckle-faced roan horse popped out of an open window so that our approach was covered by two pairs of inquiring eyes.*

This was my introduction to John Henry Daniels, as he gave his name when meeting strangers or for business purposes. To old-timers who had once been fellow citizens of Fairview he was more familiarly known as "Stuttering" Daniels.

Besides the slight impediment which gave him this nickname Daniel's way of speaking was different. He was not the only one in the hard rock camps of the Boundary Country of British Columbia around the turn of the century to have behind him a good Old Country education, Oxford or Cambridge perhaps, but some tried to disguise it. It was a time and place where a man's past or antecedents didn't count and any suggestion of a superior background was avoided like the plague. John Henry could not change; he spoke slowly, formally and correctly all his days. Somehow in him it had never seemed to give offence. His life was indeed humble enough and he was so obviously his unaffected self.

He came to Canada from England, or perhaps directly from Wales, and sometime around 1894 or 1896 found himself a citizen of Fairview. The business section of the camp, hotels, saloons, gold commissioner's office, post office, general store, butcher shop, and later a church and school-house, was situated on a dry alluvial fan starting at the mouth of the "Gulch" and from there scattered generously over the sloping plain, leaving room between the buildings even more than ample for the glorious and inevitable expansion envisioned by the golden optimism of the day. From the little town the dry and sunburnt valley below was visible for miles with a winding strip of green marking the course of the river and the blue waters of a lake sparkling in the distance. From the apex of the fan the "Gulch" with its little creek wound back up into the hills and along its sides shafts and tunnels were being driven and plants built for the crushing and separating of the ore.

I have often wondered whether, in those wild first years of the Camp's heyday, Daniels joined the convivial crowd of miners, prospectors and cowboys in the saloons and hotel bars; or was he even then usually by himself—sober, formal and reserved? In 1914 he went off to the Great War. The money too that worked in Fairview was required overseas in that struggle for survival and when the war was over the world was different. The great, dry valley, on the side of which was Fairview, was irrigated and a new agricultural community in the valley bottom supplanted the old. Before long the government offices were moved from Fairview to a larger centre.

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# EXPLOSIVES Under His Bed . . .



DYNAMITE and blasting caps were every-day freight when rigs like this one served the mines.

By 1950 the old camp had all but disappeared. The jail was used now as a pig pen, a few stores that had supported the floor beams of the main business establishments, a few piles of empty bottles, some lilac bushes where a certain cottage had occupied a discreet corner in the Gulch, and higher up the Gulch some overgrown masonry foundations where the stamps of the gold mills had roared day and night while the good ore lasted, and the sagging remains of the first saloon—these and John Henry Daniels were all that remained.

The place died hard. Some old-timers even lived there for a time after they were forced to seek a livelihood elsewhere. Eventually the laws of economics and common sense took everyone away, everyone but Daniels. Perhaps his war service affected him or he had committed some youthful indiscretion in earlier times or in the army which, magnified in his so proper mind, kept him a recluse. Perhaps he just liked the life. In any case long after everyone else had left John Henry stayed on and lived out his life there. After the roan horse died he stayed on alone.

He was possessed of the everlasting optimism of the real, old time prospector. This was a philosophy of life really and it generally worked out well. They were happier in the anticipation of wealth to come than most people who actually acquire it and the worries that go with it. Most prospectors roamed the hills anticipating a strike over the skyline and if and when they stopped in some locality that captured them for a time felt obliged to toll at tunnel or shaft to justify their stay.

Daniels however was different.

He stayed on in the cabin in the middle of his little group of claims in the sure and certain faith that sooner or later he would make a strike on his own property. He prospected them over and over, and each time the world market called for a new mineral he was sure that it must occur in paying quantities on the Daisy or the Columbine or the Union Jack. In reality it may have

been simply love of the place, its open bunch grass and sagebrush spaces, its rocky ridges and aspen groves and lakes and little streams, that kept old Daniels there.

Once in every two weeks he rode down to the new town for supplies. If the day was hot he walked most of the way home to spare the horse, though the extra load was usually less than fifty pounds and largely consisted of oats for the roan's own enjoyment. Once or perhaps twice a year Daniels would don collar and tie and go into the larger town some forty miles away to buy some blasting caps and dynamite and perhaps to get some drill steel sharpened. He had several small shafts and prospect holes on the claims.

As buses replaced the old horse stages and transportation and its regulation grew generally more sophisticated it became increasingly difficult to carry blasting caps and dynamite about one's person or as personal luggage. In fact to the old prospector's bewilderment even truck lines were not anxious to include them in their freight.

John Henry used to purchase his explosives from the firm where I was employed. He usually bought a box of a hundred blasting caps, a case of what was known as 10 per cent dynamite and a roll or two of fuse, and the last of many such purchases consisted of the same items. By this time he was getting pretty old and the problems of getting them hauled and left off at some place where he could pick them up and pack them home the next day seemed insurmountable.

Having nothing in particular on for that evening I drove him and his supplies to the cabin in Fairview. Arriving at the door we unloaded the supplies and picking up the 50-pound case of dynamite I asked him where his powder house was. He informed me that he always kept the dynamite under his bed.

The evening was getting on, there did not seem to be any other suitable place available and who was I to break a custom of 50 years. The caps, carried home in the pocket of his old tweed jacket, were no doubt stored in the same place; it seemed better not to ask too many questions.

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# ... and a Horse in the Cabin

However I did say, "Mr. Daniels what happens if this cabin burns down like your old one did?" He replied, "I hadn't thought of that but I suppose it would be the end of me; I was away for groceries when the other one burnt."

Perhaps when the horse was alive he had been more careful. I don't know.

The next winter, when returning from a business trip to the Coast, I was putting in time in the station in Vancouver waiting until the Kettle Valley train was ready for boarding. On one of the benches was John Henry Daniels. He was dressed for town, including collar and tie, waistcoat and jacket. The effect was sadly marred by the spots and stains common to old men with no woman to care for them. We had a leisurely conversation during the course of which he told me that he felt too old to spend the winters alone in his cabin any more and was staying in a nearby hotel. I suspect that it was a comfort to be near the station, knowing that any evening he could get on the train and be in his cabin by the next afternoon.

He also told me that when the war ended in 1918 he could have taken his discharge from the Canadian Army in England and stayed over there at his old home in Wales.

Old and tired, in the lonely city away from his claims and his cabin, even John Henry was losing the golden optimism of Fairview at last. He ended by saying, "What a fool I was not to stay in the Old Country."

Two years before I had met on the seashore in Penzance, Cornwall, an old man who was living in an old car all alone. This man told me that in 1914 he was in Canada and had enlisted in the Canadian Army. In 1918 he took his discharge in England and had remained there. He said, "What a fool I was not to go back to Canada."

Between our talk and pauses when John Henry and I were both lost in our own thoughts, the minutes slipped by. It was about half an hour to train time when the subject of the last man's supply of explosives and my trip to his cabin came up. It appeared that all the dynamite had been used up but about half the box of blasting caps had been left over.



REMAINS of the first cabin at Fairview.—Eric Shoney Photo.

With my mind still on the human left-overs of Fairview and Penzance, I said in a sort of automatic way, "I hope they are in a safe place where no one can get at them?"

He replied, "Oh yes, I have them in my hotel room."

Beginning to wake up and not quite believing my ears, I said, "Where?" And Daniels said, "In my room; they should be safe there."

I looked at the station clock; twenty-five minutes to train time. What to do? I had visions of a clumsy chambermaid knocking them off the dresser, or a dishonest one taking them home for her kids to play with, or a nosy one reporting them to the desk clerk and thence to the police.

Fortunately it only took some five minutes of gentle argument and persuasion to convince John Henry that a hotel room was really not a safe place for blasting caps. Then of course he asked what he should do with them. He suggested that he go across to the hotel and get them at once and I could take them back with me on the train. I explained that it was strictly illegal to carry blasting caps in one's baggage on a passenger train, in fact for any passenger

train to carry them at all, and that even on a freight they had to have a well-labelled car all to themselves, or itself supposing that there was only one small cap. He was very surprised at this. He had in fact brought them down on the passenger in his suitcase. I didn't ask for details as to how they were stowed...

There were now a little over 15 minutes left. I thought, When in need go to the police. Would he like me to go to the police and get them to pick up the caps and dispose of them for him? Yes, that would be alright if I thought it was the best way. The pay phone finally connected me with police headquarters.

Why would a man keep blasting caps in a bedroom? Was he a safecracker or a Doukhobor terrorist? What was my address in the city? Why couldn't I come in tomorrow and tell them about it in person? The hands of the station clock kept on moving; other passengers for the Kettle Valley Express were arriving in the station. I could see the familiar upcountry faces. I noticed the CPR policeman by the station entrance.

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## There's Still Room for a Foster Child

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son, in bed at night, gets her to come in and talk to him before he goes to sleep. Extensive childhood problems, personal, social, ethical, are discussed... and much valuable light is shed upon them.

The Patersons' experiences with their foster girls were varied. Without wanting to comment on individual cases, they found, naturally, that some were less successful than others. One or two had warmly gratifying results, other cases involved children who were not ready to accept help, or who had, by the time they were 16 and 17, a negative pattern of behavior which was too firmly established for the brief period of care—until they were 18 and accounted able to be self-supporting—to effect worth-while changes.

"In these cases," said Audrey, "we could only hope that what we tried to do might prove helpful in later years."

In addition to her chairmanship of the committee, she puts out a comprehensive monthly bulletin which she calls "The Fosterletter."

### ANAGRAM ANSWERS

- (1) REDIMENT
- (2) FLAMINGO
- (3) ARTIFICIAL
- (4) LANGUAGE
- (5) DELICACY

which deals with everything from current problems pertaining to child care and welfare, reports on individual work and accomplishment and visits to correctional centres, to recipes and menus suitable for a suddenly enlarged family.

In actuality there is a vast amount of labor being spent on the young from unhappy, broken, or totally inadequate homes, by dedicated men and women here amongst us whose efforts receive little general recognition. There are many families like the Patersons, who have devoted long years, considerable money, and an infinite amount of selfless thought to the care of the foster children they have taken under their wings. One doesn't hear much of this. And assuredly the emoluments received are not any real incentive, consisting as they do of sums which cover little more than a child's board.

It is, instead, a very special type of person who is willing, not to adopt permanently, but to take into his or her home a child who, after some months, or a year or two, may be removed. The social agency may make other plans. The real parents may re-establish their claim. A foster home offered on an expressed temporary basis may well be a good start for heartache. Because, say the advisors, the ideal foster home is one which gives 24-hour-a-day love, guidance, and understanding, while at the same time "not becoming too emotionally involved." This

difficult reconciliation of two opposing factors, says Audrey Paterson, may well be one of the reasons why more people do not become foster parents. And yet they themselves, and many others, luckily for needy children, do seem to have attained this apparently contradictory balance. In fact, in one of her Fosterletters the committee chairman mentions a birthday party for a lady known as "Grannie," who, it seems, has had happily pass through her hands and home over 60 foster children in six years! It is Grannie's vocation, and she is quoted as having said, "When there are no more children, there will be no more me!" More power to her!

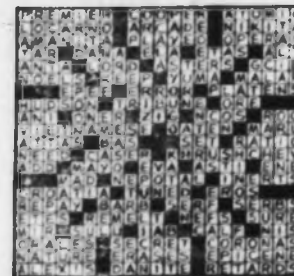
Audrey Paterson, as well as being housewife, social worker and writer, is a more than ordinarily gifted artist. Since earliest childhood she has always loved to draw and paint, and she studied for some years before her marriage. Then, as is so often the case, husband, home and children left her little time for a hobby, but when she had three youngsters well started in life, her artistic instinct would no longer be denied, and she took up her painting again. She has on one wall a large, extremely interesting pastel, strongly done, of two Negro heads. She also has a definite talent for sculpture, and three fine pieces in the charming living room are her own work. There is a head

on a small stand which at first glance would seem to be bronze, very dark, with copper-sulphate-blue lights. Actually it's terra-cotta, finished by her own process, to resemble the metal. Beside the fireplace is a tall, slim St. Francis of Assisi, with sensitive face down-bent toward the small bird he holds in his hands. The third work is a tenderly executed nude, a youthful mother in a kneeling position, holding a baby.

It is perhaps this last which personifies—and portrays—the feeling both Audrey and Richard must have for all children to do what they do and to be what they are.

"I guess," said Richard with great simplicity, "it's just that we both love being parents!"

### Answer to Last Week's Puzzle





## President Kennedy Himself was Apparently a Victim



PRESIDENT KENNEDY . . . a victim.

Everybody should read the *Anatomy of Hatred*.

*Franz Habe, a prominent author and American citizen living in Europe, revisited the United States in the fall of 1963. His account of the land just before Nov. 22 is one of the most inspired analyses in the past two years. It is also one of the most frightening.*

It is frightening because of the hatred that Habe found to dominate the complex American society. Hatred among the black and the white, hatred among the Catholics and the Protestants, between the South and the North, among the literates and semi-literates, hatred among the rich and the poor Negroes, hatred among the rich and the poor whites; hatred that few people dared to recognize and label as such.

John Kennedy had. But little time was allotted him to heal the wounds of his tormented country.

**ANATOMY OF HATRED, Franz Habe; (Clarke, Irwin: 95.**

Unlike the administrations before him that encouraged the power of the "salesmen society," Kennedy revived the ideals of intellectualism and national and international politics. Habe found that in the fall of 1963 these terms gained new respectability.

But Habe's conclusion is that Kennedy was

# HATRED ABROAD

hated as no president before, except, perhaps, Lincoln. His policies were not suitable to the "arrogant illiterates," a group into which Habe puts the Texas oil magnates (few people realize that Texas has 600,000 people who cannot read or write), the extreme rightists from the South, about 12,000,000 "white trash," the dethroned social snobs and many Negroes.

With his wonderful insight, Kennedy understood that the only possible resistance in the race with the Communists—the clever opponents—was to cultivate the American potentiality of mind. Money and atoms were not enough. Brains is what is needed to keep pace.

Habe found the American reactionaries alarmed at this new reverence for things intellectual. The New Frontier men were hated because of fear of awakening millions of Americans whom the commercial gods have lulled into the false sleep of security, in the age when only the cleverest—so Kennedy thought—not the richest, survive.

Who killed Kennedy? Oswald? In the author's mind Oswald is just a miserable wretch of the "white trash" whose stupidity is exploited by the John Birchers, Ku Klux Klan and the war profiteers. (Habe's interview with the head of the Ku Klux Klan, a stupid vacuum cleaner salesman is unforgettable.) Habe's ruthless theorizing on the subject is interesting reading to those who like to look the truth in the eyes.

There is hope for a cure for American hatred. Hope that perhaps many people will remember and cultivate the vision of American unity, revived by the young idealist who died Nov. 22, 1963.

Yes, everybody should read *Anatomy of Hatred*. It is excellent as a book and painful as truth. —NELLY ARAK.

## The Scots Knelt . . .

*The strange, feudal host of Scotland moved out into the open, facing the invading English army at Bannockburn.*

Then King Robert Bruce and his men halted. Every man knelt and recited the Lord's Prayer.

"What, will these Scots fight?" exclaimed the English king, Edward II, astonished. "These men kneel to ask for mercy!"

"You are right," an English nobleman replied. "They ask for mercy, but not from you. They ask it from God, for their sins."

But more English than Scottish were due to meet their Maker that day because this was the Battle of Bannockburn of June 23-24, 1314, when the defending army estimated at 6,000 to 8,000 foot soldiers and 500 cavalry defeated the invading forces of 15,000 infantry and 2,500 horsemen.

It was an "appalling tumult"—the clash of spears, the shrieks of disembowelled horses, the panic stampede of riderless animals, the grass made red with the outpouring blood of man and beast.

"Robert Bruce had won a brilliant victory, which rightly takes first place among the few decisive battles in the history of Scotland," writes G. W. S. Barrow, in his new book *Robert Bruce and the Community of the Realm of Scotland*, published by Eyre and Spottiswoode. One reviewer describes the book as the "first definitive account" of the era.

As an indication of the magnitude of the victory, Scotland then had a population of only

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## Bannockburn

Reviewed by JOSEPH MacSWEEN

about 400,000, compared with England's population of perhaps 2,500,000.

## MEN in BATTLE

**CASTLE KEEP, by William Eastlake. New York: Simon & Schuster. 282 pp. \$5.95.**

It takes all kinds to fight a war. Yet our novelists, it seems to me, have not generally reminded us of this in the last decade or so. Their soldiers have wisecracked their vulgar, indomitable way to victory and survival or death—that was one type. The other common figure is the Norman Maller or James Jones character: tough, profane, as much animal as man, with officers who were unusually fools and martinets—officers who, according to the saying, could be rated good if they fought by the rules of the last war, and bad if by the rules of the war before that, but were never prepared for the present one.

Whatever else we think of Eastlake's small and valiant band, they are different. One has read Hemingway, one is writing a novel, one is an art historian, one just missed becoming a chaplain, one loves the baker's wife, one loves

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## . . . to Ask for Mercy

Barrow, professor of medieval history at University of Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, goes into considerable detail on Bannockburn and other bloody battles of the Scottish war of independence, but his book has a much broader scope.

He attacks the idea that opposition to English encroachment came mainly from the Celtic area of Scotland, frequently betrayed by foreign nobles. He writes:

"If this book has attempted anything, it has been to demonstrate that the most stubborn, persistent, tenacious resistance to foreign domination came from the old Scottish kingdom of the 12th and 13th centuries, fed by a tradition of deep-rooted loyalty to the Crown and by a sense of political nationalism expressed in the term 'community of the realm,' which was employed over and over again in a great variety of contexts . . .

"This does not seem to have been a monopoly of either 'Celtic' or 'Teutonic' Scotland. Indeed, these terms belong to a discredited phase of ethnological study . . ."

James Campbell, himself an authority on Scottish history, writes in the Edinburgh Scotsman that Barrow's book "puts previous works on the subject into the shade . . . a decent obscurity will befit most of them."

Elaborating on Barrow's main theme, Campbell writes:

"It is clear from the way in which the Scots behaved in the crises which followed the death of Alexander III in 1286 that there was a consciousness, extending beyond a small ruling group, of a common cause and a common responsibility . . .

"They themselves used the expression 'the community of the realm' which seems to sum up the view which many Scotsmen of the day took. . . Robert Bruce succeeded because he provided what the aspirations and sentiments it expressed demanded."



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17-year-old. Therese, both niece and wife of the Count of Maldorais, who would do anything—and who does—to have an heir, for he is impotent; and would do anything to preserve his beloved castle—at which also he threatens to be impotent.

The men are as different as is their task: they must defend the 10th-century castle from the onslaught of 20th-century Germans. But the occasion is ominous. The time is late 1944, the place is the Ardennes, and Bastogne is not far away. The question as they put it is, will the "Castle Keep" or won't it?

In effect Eastlake writes about soldiers who have not forgotten the lives they used to lead. They do not reminisce, they do not dream of their wives and sweethearts, but they bring to their bloody jobs the same alertness, the same reflective turn of mind, and the same sophistication with which they reacted to peacetime affairs. The Indian makes a bow and arrow; the scholar, going him one better, tries to make a crossword. Such endeavors match the background of these characters and the anomalous assignment of guarding a moated castle from the tanks and flame-throwers of the modern enemy. Perhaps Eastlake suggests the castle is the symbol of European culture. Shall it be spared though victory is thereby delayed? Can it even survive either victory or defeat?

It looks as though the war had passed them by until the last flare-up of the dying foe brings an attack against them, since they occupy the gateway to Bastogne. Then these men abandon their entertaining, often fantastic, dream-like civilian memories and turn to the bitter business of holding off the savage Germans who greatly outnumber them. Trees are felled to form an abatis across the entrance, huge Tiger tanks are hurled into the moat and sunk, the walls are scaled with fire-truck ladders. Perhaps, after all, the officers who would have served them best were not those who fought the last war or even the war before the last but the wars of the Middle Ages.

It is all half crazy, the people are half crazy, the whole story is half crazy. And you fall for it. It does not speed on irresistibly, it slows down rarely, it never comes to a halt. There is a break: philosophy in the first half, action in the second; one should have been integrated more smoothly into the other. The tale is told in the first person, with each chief figure stepping up to say his piece in separate chapters—awkward but vivid. The talk has its inane passages, though maybe they are just an aspect of the realism. But there are wit and some wisdom, and the action is fiery and dramatic.

"We don't want to fight a drunken, crazy war," says one soldier, and another comments: "Are there other kinds?"—W. G. ROGERS.

## EXPLOSIVES

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"I'll explain it all to the CPR police at the station here and ask them to get in touch with you tomorrow." And I hung up.

Again I gave the story to the railway constable, mentioning that I had to catch the train in ten minutes. He gave me a suspicious look and suggested that my friend and I come to their office in the building. And again I told my tale to their desk man.

I have always had a horror of missing trains and it always seems to me that each one to be caught is the last one that will ever go to the proper destination. I had arrived at the station three days and nights of train and boat travel and anything but fresh looking. Now I was somewhat breathless and wild-eyed in the attempt to have John Henry's blasting caps safely settled and still catch the train. We doubtless looked a little less than a pair of solid citizens.

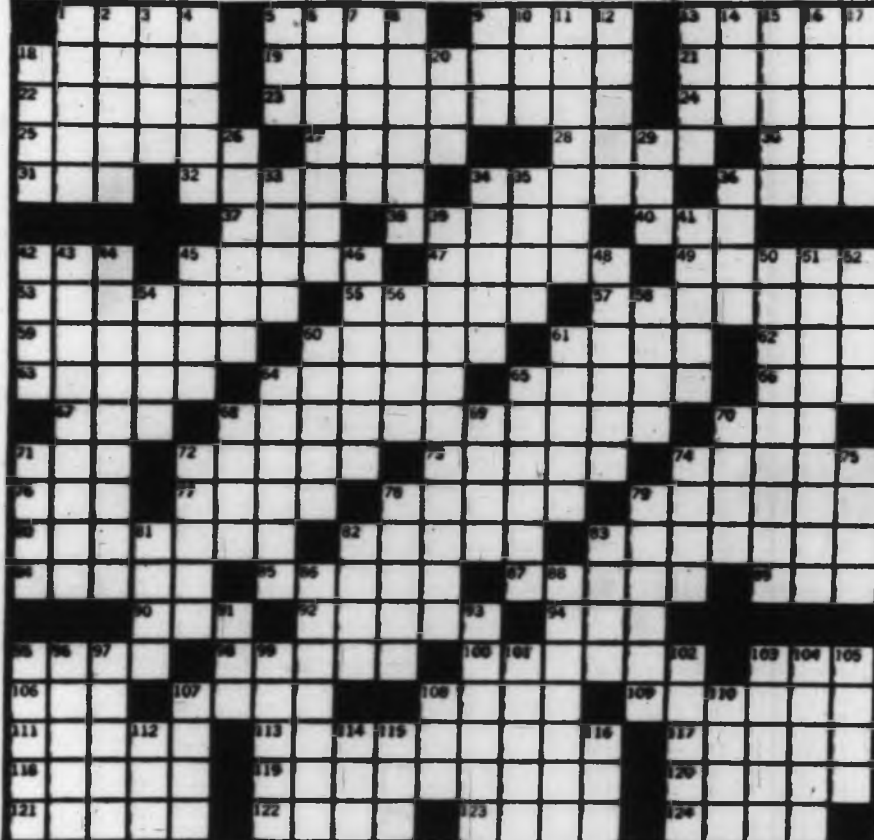
Daniels was quite bewildered at all this rushing about over a few caps, and looked it. The constable behind the desk looked equally bewildered and not at all likely to take on the problem of the blasting caps in the six minutes now left before the train would start.

Through the window I could see Bill Smith who lives down the street from me getting into the sleeper with his wife and kids. The desk man with another appraising look at John Henry, said

## ISLANDER Crossword Puzzle

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By Herb L. Risteen	59 Engine tenders.	98 Reddish-yellow hue.	16 Desert plant.	law.
ACROSS	60 Obstacle.	100 Musical works.	17 Lease anew.	72 Hollows.
1 Bark layer.	61 — route.	103 Machine part.	18 Mirthful exclamation.	74 Dutch river.
3 Brazilian state.	62 Numerical prefix.	106 Heavenly Altar.	20 Period.	75 Buns: Conchium.
9 Dues.	63 Carrier.	107 "Tostito" —.	26 Brazilian city.	78 Empty.
11 Arithmetic.	64 Italian musical reformer.	108 Responsibility.	29 Exacerbate.	79 Repaired.
13 Iraq coin.	65 Chatterbox.	109 European river.	33 Shrewd.	81 — China.
15 Capibean country.	66 Slav.	111 Gift recipient.	34 Crisp cookies.	82 Gzowl.
19 Man from Dniep.	67 Free from.	113 Celtic region.	35 Grow together.	83 Variegated.
21 Italian river.	68 Asian metropolis; 2 words.	117 Capacity unit.	36 — River.	86 Hydrogen, e.g.
22 State of India.	70 Dandy.	118 Turkish notable.	39 Path for pioneers; 2 words.	88 Insuperable.
23 Argentine region.	71 Lad from Limerick.	119 Slick slouch.	41 Bellows.	91 White House man.
24 Kingly.	72 Actress Irene.	120 Choice part.	42 Aberdeen resident.	93 Capital attraction.
25 Turn.	73 Leather trash.	121 Partitioned.	43 American waterway; 2 words.	95 Spanish suspect.
27 Surfeit.	74 — Park, N.J.	122 Newport —.	44 Eastern States seaport.	96 Where Maine "U" is.
28 Short play.	76 Egg: Comb. form.	123 Chemical suffix.	45 Titled ones.	97 — horseback; 2 words.
30 Time of day; Poetic.	77 Snappish.	124 Difficulty: Slang.	46 Israelite.	99 Barnyard fowl.
31 Pub item.	78 Jews school.	DOWN	48 Corroding.	100 African capital.
32 Continue to hurt.	79 Cranes.	1 Minty plant.	50 Man from Tallin.	102 Oregon's capital.
34 Sportsman.	80 Wash again.	2 French river.	51 Mode of travel.	103 Derna.
36 Mandolin part.	82 Chivalry.	3 Antlered animal.	52 Artless.	104 Inchon.
37 Schoolman's group.	83 European farmer.	4 Sports official.	54 Swamp growth.	105 Nothing else than.
38 Post John.	84 English river.	5 Invalid food.	56 Wall.	107 Fight.
40 Period.	85 Egyptian peninsula.	6 Northerner.	58 Frog genus.	108 Old English coin.
42 Show sorrow.	87 Check.	7 Tax assessment.	60 Cheerful.	110 Historic river.
43 Position.	89 Born.	8 Diminished.	61 Be prominent.	112 Compass point.
47 Work incentive.	90 Award for value.	9 Lower Latin.	64 River of India.	114 European gull.
48 Buffalo's neighbor.	92 Leaves the harbor.	10 Noise.	65 Short necklines.	115 Stammering sounds.
50 Ancient vehicle.	94 Inflamed.	11 Flower favorites.	66 Gum wads.	116 Stevenson's monogram.
52 Shiftful.	95 Italian lake.	12 Western river.	69 African lake.	
57 Soviet waters; 2 words.		13 Go quickly.	70 Swampy tracts.	
		14 Cypriot fish.	71 Civil wrongs.	



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that he didn't think the bedroom of a hotel came within their jurisdiction.

And then I found out, like Kipling, that there is no better place to have a friend than among the members of the police. Into the office walked one of the CPR force who had been stationed for several years in my home town. He knew me and that my firm sold explosives, to prospectors among others; and even more, he had an understanding of prospectors and their habits. He promised to explain to the city police and have the caps removed and John Henry left in peace. With a heartfelt thanks to him and a hasty farewell to John Henry Daniels I rushed for my bag and caught the train; avoiding for

the time being at least becoming another left-over.

Whether or not Daniels ever got back to Fairview I don't know, but I am sure that somewhere in the Elvadan fields his portion is dry and hot in the summer like the Camp, with the occasional rattler that in this life always gave the passerby fair warning. He has a cabin, part of its roof shingled with flattened kerosene tins; and a lean-to with the freckle-faced roan looking out the window. The odd prospector of the roving west calls in for a meal and a chat with "Stuttering" Daniels. The ore on the claims is proving up well and the box of dynamite and blasting caps under the bed is never empty.



# Charles Bedford Young Assailed the Whole Idea of Confederation

By JAMES K. NESBITT

Charles Bedford Young, a century ago, was a controversial figure in Victoria. As far as I can learn today, after considerable research, he was one of those human beings people either liked or loathed. He was a man who spoke his mind, loudly and defiantly, and he didn't care whether he was popular or not.

Looking back through the years he seems to have been a man of some mystery. No trace can I find of a wife. He would live in Victoria for a time, then depart for San Francisco, and after a year or so return here, and then he might go exploring up the Fraser River. There is no picture of him available today and so we don't know what he looked like.

When he was in town he needs must attend every public meeting, and in those days public meetings, there being nothing much else to do, were called whenever public controversy arose—politics, naturally, education, steamship service between Victoria and San Francisco, the union of Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and then the union of British Columbia with Canada.

Such meetings were usually stormy, and there were catcalls and hisses and jeers, as well as cheers. Young appears to have thrived on such uproar, and always he was in the thick of it, no doubt having the time of his life, not having a wife to tell him he had made a fool of himself.

For a spell Charles Bedford Young sat in the legislative assembly of Vancouver Island and he fell a-feuding with Amor de Cosmos, who, of course, would feud with anyone. The feuding in the legislature grew so fierce between these two that both resigned, so there could be a by-election to see whose side the public was on. The argument had to do with the union of the colonies and a free port for Victoria.

The *Colonist* heartily disliked Young but said: "C.B. Young is a celebrity in his way, and much more distinctly defined in general character than his mercantile brothers. He has too vast a quantity of vanity to allow himself much rest, and we have him frequently before the public in every conceivable attitude . . ."

"We have before described him as 'cantankerous,' but during his career so far in the House we must do him the justice to say that he has in parliamentary life given no occasion for the application.

"He is a man of much wider general experience than most of the members and would no doubt have been more liberal in some of his political notions had he spent more of his life in British colonies, and less in the Mexican republic.

"He is extremely crotchety and liable at any moment to oppose a good measure from merely personal whim. Outside this personal feeling, he is a shrewd man, and takes on most occasions a sensible view of political questions."

Soon, however, according to *The Colonist*, Young was taking anything but a sensible view on anything.

At one meeting in the by-election campaign the audience grew so wild the roof almost fell in. In the words

of *The Colonist*: "The platform remained unoccupied for some time till at length Mr. James Fell (a dealer in spices) made his appearance, when he was greeted with a perfect storm of hoots, hisses and laughter with shouts of coffee, chicory, etc."

Why poor Mr. Fell was treated this way I cannot learn.

Anyway, Charles Bedford Young scrambled to the stage and "was saluted with another torrent of groans, yells and hisses. . . Mr. Robert Burnaby was similarly received, as was also His Worship, Mr. Thomas Harris."



JAMES FELL  
... hoots and laughter

Mr. Young was cool and collected, looked calmly over the tumultuous audience and announced, in the tone of a martyr that "he accepted the hisses," and to reflect that "Rome was saved by the hissing of geese, and he hoped Vancouver Island would be saved in a similar manner."

He didn't mind what people said about him, he said; no, people could say anything they liked about him, as long as his conscience was clear. He said he had been maligned in all sorts of ways—"his enemies had even descended so low as to call him a dog with a tin kettle tied to his tail." At this point, *The Colonist* said, the audience broke into tremendous laughter.

*The Colonist* finished with Mr. Young in this manner: "He spoke for sometime in praise of his own honesty and uprightness, which created much laughter."

And so election day came and de Cosmos and Leonard McClure snowed under Charles Bedford Young and Gilbert Malcolm Sproat.

Young promptly went off on a mysterious mission to San Francisco and when he returned he found a civic election campaign about to start, and he decided he would like to be the mayor. He attended a few meetings, argued with William John Macdonald who wanted to be mayor also, and then, of a sudden, he quit the contest.

*The Colonist* was not too kind: "RETIRED—C. B. Young, finding that he had not the ghost of a chance for election to the mayor's chair, cunningly withdrew from the contest. We are sorry he has taken this step, because we wished to

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convince him that he is the most unpopular man in the town."

As if to finish off Young once and for all *The Colonist* rubbed it in: "However, as the vain old creature has said—he had been asked to stand not only for the mayoralty, but for the legislative assembly as well, and that he felt something like a full-bellied horse (ass?) between two bundles of hay, not knowing which to accept . . ."

Young left immediately for San Francisco, but a year later he returned: "FRACAS—The person known as Mr. C. B. Young, we are sorry to say, returned from San Francisco by the California—perhaps it was only to chastise the proprietors of *The Colonist* for some fancied grievance or other. At all events, he proceeded 'to try it' on Wharf Street, having first been guilty of an act illy becoming even Mr. Young.

"It is said he didn't get the satisfaction sought; try again is a good old maxim. We hope his shots next time will be confined merely to a miserable and rowdy attempt to scratch, pruge and pull hair like any other old woman."

Young ignored this, and plunged



ROBERT BURNABY  
... he, too, was hissed

into the current controversy, this time about joining Canada.

Here are a few of the highlights, as reported in *The Colonist*: "Mr. C. B. Young mounted the platform and was received with applause and cries of 'codfish.' He asked the people not to rush blindly into confederation with Canada.

"A voice—Now, Mr. Young, are you speaking as an Englishman or an American?"

"Mr. Young—I am speaking, sir, as one in whose veins flows the pure blood of both (ironical applause)."

Young was a spellbinder of sorts, for he could certainly make loud and impassioned speeches and while the audiences jeered at him and hissed him, they did not walk out on him.

He maintained that if he thought Canadian confederation would be good for him he'd support it, but he was mighty suspicious of the whole thing. He lashed out at his political enemies, saying, "political quacks, like medical quacks, did damage to

the country. He said, "Mr. Tilley wanted to be lieutenant-governor, with Mr. de Cosmos as chief cook and bottle washer and Mr. Higgins (*Colonist* editor) wanted to be Queen's Printer."

He was skeptical of Ottawa's promise of a railway to Pacific tidewater, and said that "if British Columbians ever want to go to Canada they'll have to go in a balloon."

This brought forth a roar, and there was another roar when he said "the project smelt fishy to him—he had been in the codfishing business himself and was very well acquainted with the smell."

He snapped his fingers at confederation: "The Canadians would give none of the advantages which they said they would . . . they were not in the habit of giving away anything."

Well, when he could see he was losing this round he promoted the idea of annexation of British Columbia to the United States.

*The Colonist* didn't think much of this proposition: "THE ANNEXATION PETITION—We have been favored with a peep at this precious document—it is in the hand-writing of Charles Bedford Young, whose name (consider its weighty influence) heads the list.

"The memorial is addressed to the Governor and like most emanations from the same brain starts out with a misstatement by asserting that an effort is being made 'to precipitate' the colony into confederation."

"The writer well knows that the object of the late meeting was to prevent unconditional union by stating that the people will not consent to join the Confederacy except on their own terms."

"This falsehood is followed up by a libel on the Victoria public, the majority of whom, it asserts, only attend public meetings for amusement."

"The ostensible object of the petition is to ask the influence of His Excellency in delaying confederation until the petitioners have an opportunity of knowing how it works."

"Nearly one-half of the signers are men who have spouted annexation on every street corner for months, and have done more to damage the country and drive people out of it than all other causes combined. The drift of the memorial is to 'delay' confederation, in the hope that something may ere long turn up to destroy institutions on the Pacific."

Mr. Young lost that battle too, and away he went. A few years later he was reported dead in Mexico, but that was a mistake.

In 1881 *The Colonist* discovered him: "Mr. C. B. Young is a wholesale merchant in Baltimore—77 years of age, hale, hearty and prosperous."

And that's that. From where Mr. Young originally came, and where he died is today not known.

But certainly, while he was here he was not ignored and one might say that, in his own small way, he made his contribution to our history.